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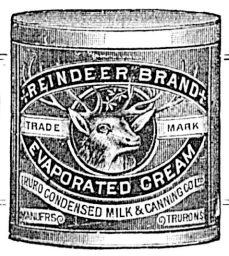

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I.O.O.F. NOTICE

The members of Peerless Lodge, No. 33, are requested to meet at Oddfellows' Hall, Douglas street, at 2 p.m., Thursday, 11th inst., to attend the funeral of our late Brother Sergt. Levin.

Members of sister lodges and visiting brethren cordially invited.

WM. R. MACINTOSH, N.G.
I. J. HINGLEY, Sec'y.
Victoria, July 10, 1895. jy11-1t

Knights of Pythias.

The officers and members of Sunset Lodge, No. 10, K. of P., are requested to assemble at the Castle Hall, on Thursday, July 11, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother H. A. Levin.

Members of Far West and Victoria Lodges are requested to attend.

H. T. COLE, C.C. ED. E. LEASON, K.R.&S.
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NOTICE.

The members of Court Northern Light, No. 5935, Ancient Order of Foresters, are requested to meet at the Hall, Government street, on Thursday, the 11th inst., at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother H. A. Levin.

Members of sister courts are invited to attend.

F. WILLS,
Acting C.R.
jy11-1t

NOTICE.

The Companions of the Forest, B.C. Circle, No. 118, are requested to meet at Foresters' Hall, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, the 11th inst., to attend the funeral of our late Brother H. A. Levin.

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CABLE NEWS.

U. S. Minister Bayard Waits on Earl Salisbury—Le Figaro's Eustis Interview a Hoax.

Peru Refuses to Comply With Bolivia's Ultimatum—German Warships at Tangier.

LONDON, July 10.—The U. S. Ambassador, Hon. Thomas Bayard, had an interview with Lord Salisbury, the new Premier this afternoon.

The Tsung Li Yamen, (Chinese foreign office) has intimated that a portion, probably half of the second Chinese indemnity loan, which will amount to 100,000,000 taels will be received from Great Britain and the other half may come from Germany.

Senor Sagaste, ex-premier, during the course of an interview, declared that the Liberals would agree to pay the Mora indemnities for damages sustained by Spaniards during the war of secession provided the cortes agree to vote the credit necessary.

El Liberal commenting on the situation in Cuba to-day says that the United States has loyally performed its international obligations so far as the island of Cuba is concerned.

German warships have arrived at Tangier with orders to insist upon the payment by the government of Morocco of the indemnity of 8,000 marks for the murder of a German citizen named Rockstrop, near Saffi.

Referring to the proceedings of the National convention at Omagh, County Tyrone, the Times asks "how many seats in the last parliament were occupied by subsidized patriots." It also asks whether Mr. Ellis made contracts for any other seats or services with the Irish vendors and whether the House of Lords is to be robbed of its constitutional privileges by the aid of votes bought at £200 each. The English electors can now consider whether such assistance redounds to the honor and greatness of England and the purity and good fame of our parliament.

The Duke of Portland has been appointed Master of the Horse. The Earls of Dartmouth, Waldegrave, Ranfurly and Lords Churchill, Harris, Henniker and Lawrence have been made lords-in-waiting; the Marquis of Carmarthen treasurer of the household; Lord Arthur Hill comptroller of the household, and Allwyn Fellowes vice chamberlain. Sir Henry James has been raised to the peerage.

Severe earthquake shocks have been experienced in the Caspian and Ural districts and many houses have been destroyed at Usanda, Astrachan and Krasnovosk.

The friends of Mrs. Florence Maybrick are once more renewing their efforts to obtain her release from prison. Mrs. Maybrick, it will be remembered, was convicted of poisoning her husband, James Maybrick, by arsenic and sentenced to death on August 7, 1889, which sentence was afterwards commuted to penal servitude for life.

The penitentiary congress has adjourned to meet in Brussels in 1900.

Bolivia has sent an ultimatum to Peru demanding an answer within twenty-four hours as to whether Peru will give satisfaction for the alleged offence committed against Bolivia during the civil war.

A dispatch to Le Journal of Paris from St. Petersburg says that an extensive plot has been discovered in Moscow against the life of the Czar. Eight persons have been arrested charged with complicity in the plot. Among the prisoners are six well known Nihilists.

Rear-Admiral Curtis died suddenly while returning from a visit to the Italian men-of-war at Spithead.

The Daily News Paris correspondent says: "The Eustis interview seems to have been a splendid hoax. It seemed highly improbable that any diplomatist should have made remarks in such bad taste."

Hon. Hannis Taylor, U. S. minister to Spain, called upon the Duke of Tetuan, Spanish minister of foreign affairs, to day, and explicitely denied that Hon. James Eustis, U. S. ambassador to France, had made the statements alleged by the Paris Figaro in a purported interview with Mr. Eustis on the conditions in Cuba. Mr. Taylor renewed the protestations of friendship towards Spain on the part of the U. S.

Le Figaro reporter, who wrote the alleged interview with United States Ambassador Eustis, which has caused so much comment, has addressed a letter to Le Temps, in which journal Mr. Eustis denies the interview, stating that he was introduced to Mr. Eustis by Mr. Henry Vignaud, secretary to the U. S. embassy, on May 12, as an author. He says that he conversed with Mr. Eustis for three quarters of an hour and wrote and published the interview afterwards. The writer concludes: "Probably Mr. Eustis did not know that he was talking to a journalist. This is the exact truth. I do not wish to discuss the matter further, and am only desirous of closing the regrettable incident."

A Times despatch from Lima says that Peru refuses to comply with the Bolivian ultimatum.

BRAZIL AND FRANCE.

Discoveries of Gold in Disputed Territory Said to Be the Cause of the Difficulties.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Gold, according to a theory put forth by the Brazilian newspapers, is at the bottom of the threatened dispute between Brazil and France relative to the boundary between French Guiana and Brazil, which has already led to bloodshed. The Brazilian newspapers say that important discoveries of the precious metal have been made in the disputed territory, and assert that they account for the sudden urging of the French claims.

PROPOSED RAILWAY CONNECTION.

Deal Between the C. P. R. and the T. H. and B. Road Awaiting Legislation at Ottawa.

NEW YORK, July 10.—A special from Montreal says: "J. F. Young, of the Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railroad, who has just returned to Hamilton from Chicago, when asked about the deal between his road and the Canadian Pacific Railway, said that it had not been closed on account of pending legislation at Ottawa, and nothing final will be done until the bill before Parliament is passed. President Forsythe of the Hamilton Radial Railway, or the Niagara Hamilton & Pacific Railway, has just returned to Hamilton from Boston. He says he believes the deal by which the Canadian Pacific is to acquire the Toronto branch of the Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway has been closed but that it will not upset his plans with the C. P. R."

COLLAPSE OF A BUILDING.

A Thousand People Thrown to the Floor at an Elk Demonstration Near New York.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. Y., July 10.—The social session tendered by the Atlantic City lodge to the visiting Elks at the Baltic Avenue Casino to-night ended in a terrible disaster in which fully one hundred people were more or less seriously injured. The session had just opened when the building, which has not been used for several years, collapsed and fully a thousand persons were thrown to the floor beneath. Two hundred persons at least who were on the first floor of the building and immediately beneath the hall were crushed beneath the timbers and lay helpless. The electric lights in the building were extinguished by the collapse and added to the terrible situation. One man died from his injuries after removal to a neighboring hotel. It is feared that other deaths will follow and the wonder is that of the two hundred or more persons who were on the lower floor none were killed outright.

PEARY RELIEF EXPEDITION.

All Ready to Start for the North Land.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., July 10.—The Peary relief expedition sails to-morrow morning. All are now on board awaiting the final touches to the machinery. The shaft has been successfully placed in position. Capt. John Bartlett commands, with Patrick Dunphey as mate, who is already well known for his Arctic work. The ship is amply provided with coal and provisions, and will probably make good time northward. The expedition expects to reach Peary's headquarters about August 10, and to be back here by the middle of September.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Attempted Insurance Fraud.

TORONTO, July 10.—A detective is here from Philadelphia searching for a clue to the missing children of B. F. Pitezel, supposed to have been mudered by H. H. Holmes, now awaiting sentence in Philadelphia on the charge of palming off a corpse on the Philadelphia Mutual Insurance Co. and attempting to collect a policy payable to him. One of the children, a boy, is supposed to have been made away with in Detroit.

Death of an Old Minister.

TILSONBURG, July 10.—Rev. Mr. Emmerson, of Bristol, 82 years of age, of the Hamilton conference, better known as Elder Bristol, died here yesterday.

Killed at a Barn Raising.

ELMIRA, July 10.—Peter Fleming, a farmer of Peel township, fell at a barn raising and was instantly killed.

Killed at a Railway Crossing.

LONDON, July 10.—Frank Wharter, a young man, was killed by a train at the crossing last night.

Railway Men for the Coast.

WINNIPEG, July 10.—General Superintendent White has left in his private car for Fort William. There he will meet Vice-President Shaughnessy of the C. P. R. and proceed with him to the Pacific coast on an inspection trip.

C. P. R. Traffic Returns.

MONTREAL, July 10.—The Canadian Pacific traffic for the week ending July 7 was $349 000; for the same week last year it was $347,000.

Railway Trackmen Run Over.

ST JEROME, July 10.—Narcisse Gendron and Joseph Page, two young men belonging to Montreal, met their death here this morning on the Canadian Pacific road. They were working on a construction train which pulled up suddenly at the station, throwing a number of workmen from the flat cars to the ground. Gendron and Page were thrown under the cars, which passed over them, causing their death.

La Banque du Peuple.

MONTREAL, July 10.—Owing to the persistency with which rumors affecting its credit have been circulated, La Banque du Peuple invited the members of the Clearing House to examine into its financial condition, and they report to the effect that the rumors concerning the large unsecured advances have been grosely exaggerated, that the condition of the bank is sound, and that if necessary the Clearing House Association will render it assistance if it should require any. This action by the Clearing House is similar to what was adopted by the New York banks with such good effect during the late financial trouble there.

Twelfth of July at Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, July 10.—Ten thousand visitors are expected in Winnipeg for the 12th of July celebration.

Winnipeg Collegiate Institute.

WINNIPEG, July 10.—D. M. Duncan, of Parry Sound, has been chosen by the Winnipeg school board as classical master of the city collegiate institute.

Hotel Man's Suicide.

MONTREAL, July 10.—Chris. Graves, proprietor of the Liverpool Rest, Craig street, shot himself about midnight and died in a few seconds.

Garden syringes at Cheapside

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

Drink Excelsior XXX English Ale and Lager Beer. It is the best.

THE SITUATION.

Official Statements to be Made in Parliament To day—The Tension Relaxing.

A French Caucus Adjourns Awaiting Developments—Business of Parliament Almost Completed.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, July 10.—In the Senate this afternoon Hon. Mr. Scott said: "Before the orders of the day are called I would like to ask the Premier if he is able now to relieve the tension of opinion on an important question, outside rumors regarding which are somewhat confirmed by an empty chair. I think parliament is entitled to some explanation under the circumstances. It is the usual practise in the British parliament and our parliament when a crisis arises that both houses should be taken into the confidence of the government."

Sir Mackenzie Bowell—The hon. gentleman is quite correct as to the parliamentary and constitutional practise in questions of this kind. I am not, I am sorry to say, in a position to relieve the tension of the hon. gentleman's mind at the present moment, but I promise him that I shall be enabled to relieve him of all anxiety as to the matter to-morrow.

In the House of Commons Hon. Mr. Laurier said: I would ask the Minister of Finance whether he can give any information to-day with regard to the resignations of three prominent members of the administration.

Hon. Mr. Foster—I think I will have to ask my hon. friend to cultivate the virtue of patience for a little while longer. To-morrow when the House assembles I shall make a positive statement with reference to the matter.

Hon. Mr. Laurier—My hon. friend has asked me so often to cultivate that virtue that I think I have it to perfection now (laughter.) As evidence of it I will wait until to-morrow. (Renewed laughter.)

The foregoing summarizes the official statements to-day in reference to the political situation. They are the outcome of conferences which have been in progress since yesterday, the most noteworthy of which was one this morning between the Premier and the three dissident ministers. Hon. Mr. Ouimet, Sir Adolphe Caron and Hon. Mr. Angers have so far receded from the position which they took yesterday when they asked that a remedial bill be passed this session, that they will now be satisfied to accept the mere introduction of remedial legislation at the present session, as evidence of the bona fides of their colleagues. This was the offer which they made to Sir Mackenzie Bowell this morning. The Premier informed them that he would give an answer to-morrow, whereupon, it is reported, the ministers consented to wait.

The nature of the conference was carried to the French Canadian caucus which met in Mr. Joncas' room in the parliament buildings, and at which about 25 Quebec Conservatives were present when the meeting broke up. Mr. Joncas, who had summoned the meeting, decided not to do anything until to-morrow, thereby showing that he was acting in concert with the three French ministers. Had Mr. Laurier moved his motion of want of confidence this afternoon, there would have been a solid Conservative phalanx against him. The opposition leader, after his fiasco of yesterday, did not dare to risk another adverse vote.

A report current during the morning that Hon. Mr. Ouimet and Sir Adolphe Caron would make an official statement of their position to the house at three o'clock had again the effect of crowding the galleries with spectators, but they were doomed to disappointment. The seats of the two ministers were again vacant, but it seems so be certain they will be in their places to-morrow, whether reconciled to their colleagues or not. Hon. Mr. Ouimet was within the precincts of the house during the afternoon, transacting business with his deputy, but on leaving he never looked the way of the chamber.

The business on the order paper of the House is practically completed, about all that is left being the passage of twenty-five or thirty items in supply.

Several members who, it was supposed, had left for good, have returned within the last day or two.

The house was engaged all day discussing the customs bill. Mr. McLean's proposition for a two-cent passenger rate on railways was rejected by 113 to 39

The French treaty passed the Senate by 42 to 5.

The Lake Manitoba railway bill was thrown out again by the railway committee this morning by 34 to 33.

Sound Lumber Trade Active.

SEATTLE, July 10.—For the first time in several years nearly every lumber mill on the Sound is running full time and several of the larger ones are in operation night and day, so fast are the orders coming in. The great improvement in trade which has brought about the condition of affairs has already caused the manufacturers to decide on an advance in prices for Eastern shipments, and it is probable that a similar step will be taken in regard to cargo shipments, boath coastwise and abroad. Large orders are continually pouring in.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Chinese Counterfeiter Sentenced—Salmon Canning on Fraser Active—Brunette Mills to Be Rebuilt.

Lumber Prices—Proposed School of Mining—News From the Kootenay Country.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, July 10.—On Saturday next Vancouver will hold a Children's day at Brockton Point, with the money left over from the Dominion Day celebrations. The committee have arranged a very attractive programme for the youngsters.

W. Templeton, G. C. Harris and H. McDowell are candidates for Ward 3, to fill the seat vacated by Ald. McCraney at the council board.

Chung Lam the Chinese counterfeiter has received a sentence of two years in the penitentiary. He collected pewter spoons, and coined fifty cent pieces from them. The fraud was detected by a butcher in the city. After he had passed the coin in other places, on his cabin being searched other counterfeit coins were found, and the rude paraphernalia for coining money. At his first trial he was dismissed on a technicality, but was re-arrested and finally sentenced as above.

A winter mining school is being talked of in this city.

The Brunette saw mills will be rebuilt, and plans will be ready at an early date.

J. Sheasgreen, manager of Dunlap & Cook's B.C. branch, and Miss Ida Tierney, daughter of Mr. William Tierney, formerly of Victoria, were married this morning in the Catholic church. The edifice was densely crowded. The bride looked charming, and the ceremony was accompanied by many artistic effects, the floral decorations being beautiful. High mass was celebrated with full chorus and orchestra, under the leadership of F. Victor Austin.

Mr. Sternburg has been chosen judge for the next Vancouver poultry association. Mr. Sternburg will probably be appointed by all the associations in the circuit.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, July 10.—The lumbermen deny that the prices of lumber have advanced as reported in different papers. They say that negotiations were tending that way, and that they were about completed when the Brunette fire took place. There is no doubt, however, that prices will eventually advance. The demand for lumber is increasing particularly from the Sound and San Francisco; so much so that the different mills are refusing orders daily, anticipating a rise in the market here. Prices on the Sound are higher than here so that if the lumbermen desired they could run night and day to supply firms to the South. The moment the price of lumber advances shingles will be forced up. The demand for shingles is away ahead of the July demand of any other year, but low prices still prevail.

The Burnaby council had occasion to reduce the assessment in their municipality all around; but the members to their dismay found that after the reduction none of them could qualify; so they each and every one applied to have their individual assessments raised, to which the court had no objection.

This being an off year on the Fraser, it was not to be expected that the number of men engaging in fishing would be as large as last year, but the prospect of obtaining 25 cents per fish has induced scores of men to try their luck. Accounts of Monday night's fishing show that some good catches were made. At one cannery near the mouth of the river the tally ranged all the way from 40 up to 288 per boat. News from lower down tells of the water being alive with fish in the vicinity of Point Roberts.

Present indications are that the sockeye run is on in earnest, and if this be so the fleet of boats out will speedily increase until the number reaches fully 2,000. At the cold storage works large numbers of sockeyes are being frozen daily. The Texas Lake Ice and Cold Storage Company are packing fish for shipment by the Australian boat next week. They will probably send at least thirty tons for distribution between Australian cities, London and Paris.

There is much bustle and stir on the wharf at the time of arrival and departure of the Edgar. Yesterday she was a full boat at leaving, her freight including a lot of rice and other supplies for Japs and Chinese, her passenger list being a long one. The steamer will take up her summer Sunday running on and after Sunday next, leaving this city at 3 p.m.

NELSON.

(From the Tribune.)

Pat Noonan, the well-known prospector, says it is yet too early to pronounce on the value of the ledges in the Slate Creek camp. They nearly all run through basins at high altitudes, from which the snow has not yet gone.

At Nelson on Tuesday a decision important to mineral claim owners was handed down by Judge Spinks, who holds that the yearly life of a mineral claim expires at midnight on the date on which it is located, that is, a claim located on July 5, 1895, expires at midnight on July 5, 1896.

The contractors for the Silver King tramway have called for tenders for several thousand feet of squared timbers, and the company is preparing plans for an ore-house at the Nelson end of the tramway to have a capacity of 10,000 tons.

The city council has about decided upon the assistance to be given Dr. Rogers in the establishment of a hospital. A site will probably be afforded, and the hospital tax will be turned over to the doctor.

"Bob" Yuill and his partners have bonded their claims Daisy and Black Fox, on the south fork of Kaslo river, to Porter Brothers, the well known railway contractors. The Porters are also holders of Trail Creek properties to a considerable extent. They will build a road to their properties from the Kaslo wagon road.

The boys who believe in the white metal are searching the mountains in Slocan district for the high-grade silver-gold veins that are known to be in the granite belt south of Four-mile creek. Fred. Richardson of New Denver reports several finds. In one the ore ran 900 ounces silver; in another 560 ounces silver and $40 gold.

Without question the small areas of cultivable land on the outlet between Nelson and Balfour is adapted for growing small fruits and vegetables.

Four years ago Ike Lougheed, M. Landrigan and others made a discovery on one of the tributaries of Salmon river. They brought specimens, and remarked that they had a good thing if a railway was only built up Salmon river. Since then the railway has been built, but the boys allowed the locations to run out, and this spring prospectors came to the conclusion to try the Salmon river country. Now nearly fifty locations have been made, and sinking has been commenced on some of them. The ore on the surface is marcasite, which shows specks of chalcopyrite a few feet down. It is claimed the ore will be similar to that of Trail Creek once depth is gained. Surface samples assay about $20 in gold.

Two hydraulic companies operate in Cariboo and one in West Kootenay. The Cariboo company cleaned up, and a brick weighing 795 ounces and valued at $13 506 is now on its way to Montreal. The Horsefly company's cleanup has not yet been melted, but it is expected that it will amount to $20,000. The third, the Nelson Hydraulic Mining Company, will probably make a cleanup this week. Some of the finest nuggets ever seen in Kootenay are on exhibition in the Bank of British Columbia at Nelson. The largest nuggets are worth $52 and $16.

(From the Miner.)

A fifty dollar nugget brought in from the Nelson Hydraulic Company's claim at Forty-nine Creek has been attracting attention at the Bank of British Columbia.

Work has been commenced on the Athabaska by the Vancouver syndicate which recently bonded it.

Mr. C. M. Reese, of Minneapolis, the president of the company which owns the Selkirk, President, Old Abe, Lizard and Badger claims on Duck Creek, was in town during the week and left yesterday morning on the Nelson to visit the property.

A force of over 900 men is now employed on the Kaslo and Slocan railway, which when finished will be one of the best bits of railway in British Columbia. There are no sharp curves, no unsafe trestles. The work is done in a thoroughly good and lasting manner. A practically dead level has been obtained from Sandon to Bear Lake, a distance of nine miles, whence the line drops by an even and easy grade to Kaslo.

The company commenced the construction of a wharf at Kaslo this week.

The latest news from Boundary Falls is that a new strike has been made south of Greenwood by a Mr. McTavish. The ore (assayed by W. W. Gibbs) runs $30 per ton in gold and is said to go about 15 per cent. in copper. The ledge is described as being about 30 feet in width and shows mineral right from the surface. It is described as sulphide of copper and iron carrying gold, and is said to be the richest ore at the surface yet found in the district.

THE CITY MARKETS.

Scarcity of Fish—Advance in Eggs—Small Demand for Meats.

A scarcity of fish still prevails in the market, the supply being altogether inadequate to the demand. There has been a big decrease in the sale of meats during the past week, owing to the hot weather, the same cause accounting for the limited character of the stock on hand. Fruits are probably the most salable article in the market, and what might be called a new variety in the supplies is the California apple, which, however, demands as yet an almost fabulous price. Dry, hot weather has, it is claimed, injured the raspberry crop, but the effect does not seem to be felt materially, as great quantities from the American side make up for that. Eggs, in consequence of the warm weather, have advanced from five to ten cents. There is no activity in the grain market and flour continues steady. Following are the current retail quotations:

FLOUR—Ogilvie's (Hungarian) per bbl	$ 6.00
Lake of the Woods (Hungarian)	6.00
Victoria	5.25
Lion	5.00
Portland roller	5.00
Salem	5.00
Rainier	5.00
Superb	5.00
Plansifter	5.00
Snow Flake	5.00
Olympic	5.00
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Wheat, per ton	30.00@35.00
Oats, per ton	30 00@32.50
Barley, per ton	28.00@30.00
Middlings, per ton	25.00@30.00
Bran, per ton	20.00@25.00
Ground Feed, per ton	25.00@27.00
Corn, whole	45.00
" cracked	50.00
Cornmeal, per 10 lbs	40
Oatmeal, per 10 pounds	50
Rolled Oats, per lb	6
Potatoes, new, per lb	1¼
Rhubarb, per lb	3
Cabbage, per lb	3
Cauliflower, per doz	60
Hay, baled, per ton	12.00
Straw, per bale	1.00
Green Peppers, cured, per lb	10@15
Onions, per lb	3
Cucumbers, per doz	35
Radish, per doz	25
Lettuce, per doz	30
Spinach, per lb	5@06
Eggs, Island, per doz	30
" imported	20
Butter, fresh	20@35
" Creamery, per lb	25@30
Hams, American, per lb	15@18
" Canadian "	15@16
" Boneless "	20
Bacon, American, per lb	15@18
" Rolled "	12@16
" Long clear "	12@15
" Canadian "	16@18
Shoulders, per lb	14
Lard, per lb	15@20
Golden Cottolene, per lb	12½@15
Meats—Beef, per lb	7@12½
Sides "	7@7½
Veal "	10@15
Mutton "	5@12½
Spring Lamb, per lb	10@12½
Pork, fresh, per lb	10@12½
Chickens, per pair	1.00@1 50
Turkeys, per lb	16@20
Pigeons, per brace	50@75
Fruits—Apples, per lb	6@08
" "	10
Oranges (Navel)	30@50
" (Riverside) per lb	15@20
Lemons, (California) "	20@35
Strawberries, per box	10
Cherries	8
Bananas	25@35
Gooseberries, per lb	5@8
Apricots, per lb	10
Peaches, per lb	12½
Raspberries, per lb	10
Plums, California, per box	1.25@3.50
Tomatoes, California, per box	2.00
Fish—Salmon, per lb	10@12½

Few medicines have held their ground so successfully as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. During the past fifty years, it has been the most popular of all cough cures and the demand for it to day is greater than ever before. Prompt to act and sure to cure.

M. NAPOLEON GARANT

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A Severe Case Cured by Burdock Blood Bitters After Other Treatment Had Failed.

GENTLEMEN,—After being treated by three doctors for Dyspepsia I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters By the time I had taken two bottles of the B.B.B. I was completely cured and have since been strong and well. When I was suffering from dyspepsia I was so weak and thin I could hardly walk, but I now weigh over 160 pounds, and feel as well as ever I did in my life. NAPOLEON GARANT, Merchant, Caplin River, Que.

For Puget Sound Points.

The fast steamer Sehome, Chas. E Clancy, master, leaves here every morning excepting Sundays, at 9 o'clock for Port Townsend and Seattle, arriving at Seattle at 4 p.m., connecting with N.P.R.R. train for the east. Returning, she leaves Seattle at 10 p.m. daily excepting Sunday, arriving here at 6 a.m. Tickets at Northern Pacific R.R. office. x

Camping parties can be fitted out at Weller Bros., with everything necessary for camping. x

THE ART OF CURING SCIATICA, RHEUMATISM NEURALGIA PAINS IN BACK OR SIDE OR ANY MUSCULAR PAINS LIES IN USING THE D&L MENTHOL PLASTER.

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—Some advertising placards for a store; written. Apply J., Colonist office. jy10-2t

WANTED—We beg to solicit a share of your fire insurance business in The Scottish Union & National Insurance Co., of Edinburgh, assets $11,000,000; and in The British America Assurance Co., of Toronto. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

WANTED—Engagement as housekeeper by English lady (widow, without encumbrance), of experience and ability. Address Mrs. Deacon, Alpha street. jy5 6t

WANTED—Immediately, coat, pant and vest makers at Geo. R. Jackson's 57 Government street. je23

WANTED—An honest, active gentleman or lady to travel for established, reliable house. Salary $780, payable $15 weekly and expenses. Situation permanent. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, 318 Omaha Building, Chicago. je14 30t

WANTED—Men in every locality to distribute samples and advertising matter; good pay; steady work the year round. For particulars address, at once, C. & U. S. Advertisers' Agency, Box 450, London, Ontario. je11 1m

TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET on very reasonable terms, a furnished house and large garden with fruit trees. Apply Jas. McGregor, 59 McClure street, city. jy7-tf

TO LET—Furnished rooms with use of kitchen and bath. Apply 101 Pandora street. je12-1m

ROOMS AND BOARD for one or two gentlemen, within five minutes' walk from post office. Apply to 135 Pandora ave. mr5

TO-LET—For the summer season or longer, the Maple Bay House, Maple Bay, with about 2 acres fruit bearing orchard, and 160 acres sheep run, if wanted. This is the finest and prettiest place on the Island for anyone seeking health or pleasure, nice beach, fine fishing, good shooting, etc. Apply at the Alderlea, Duncans, Wm. Beaumont. mr10tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A six horse engine and boiler in first-class condition. For particulars apply to A. F. Barham, 14 Government street. jy10 6t

FOR SALE—A snap, 6 roomed cottage on Pandora street, only $1,250; 5 roomed cottage James Bay, $1,400; 4 roomed house Spring Ridge, $650. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—A bargain, 50 acres near Victoria, about 10 acres cleared; dwelling, stable and chicken house, only $550; 200 acres near Alberni townsite at $4 per acre, $400 cash balance at 6 per cent. for 4 years; 90 acres on the bank of the Koksilah river, 3 acres cleared, chicken house and shed, for $500. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street

A BARGAIN—Small house, and lot 50x130 feet. Apply to F. Smith, Grant street, Fernwood Estate. jy3 1m

FOR SALE—One of the best farms in South Saanich, on the East road about 10 miles from Victoria Post Office, containing 100 acres; about 50 acres cleared and under cultivation; 6-roomed house, good farm buildings; over 200 fruit trees, all first-class land; splendid spring of water. The farm is close to the Victoria & Sidney Railway. For further particulars apply to A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street. ap26

FOR SALE—Twenty-five acres of good land, well improved and well fenced and cross fenced, with house of seven rooms; lath and plastered, veranda back and front, barn and 2 chicken houses to carry 800 chickens; natural spring water; good garden, fruit trees. The above is on the Victoria & Nanaimo main road, about 1 mile from McPherson's Station, E. & N. Railway. Will take city property for part or whole payment, or will take one-half cash and mortgage on the balance. Price two thousand five hundred dollars, $2,500. This is a rare chance as the owner has to go to Europe. For further particulars apply at the Colonist office. ap24-3m

FOR SALE—
A fine mansion and outbuildings with all possible conveniences, in Quamichan District, together with 300 acres of land; about 50 of which are improved and partly under orchard, crops, etc. Fine shooting and fishing may be had on the estate. About one mile from Koksilah station.

TO LET—
For a term of years—Tzouhalim—fronting on Cowichan Bay, together with 100 acres of land; partly in grass and orchard.

TO LET—
With privilege of purchase, several fine properties in Victoria City.

For terms apply to HEISTERMAN & CO., ap17-1mo 75 Government Street.

FOR SALE.
Forty acres in Lake District, on main road, about an hour's drive from town, and close to Victoria & Sidney Railway; the land is partly cleared, with good water, and nicely situated. This property will be sold cheap, either in bulk or in ten (10) acre pieces. Full information given.

MONEY TO LEND on good security.

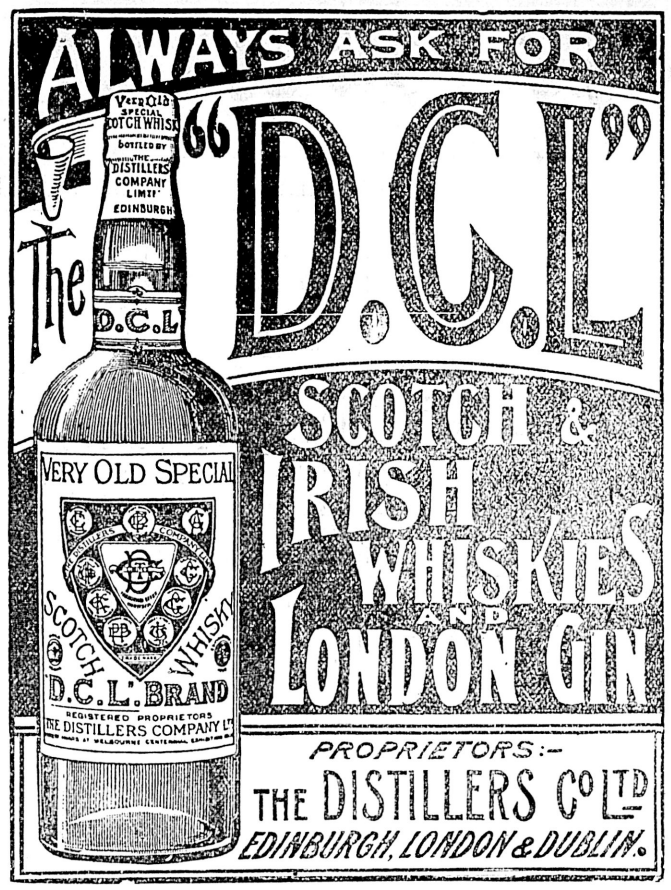
SWINERTON & ODDY,
Accountants, Agents and Notaries Public,
110 Government street.
Telephone 491. P.O. Box 631.

TEACHER WANTED
For the Gordon Head Public School, (male preferred.) Applications will be received by the undersigned not later than the 20th July.
ANDREW STRACHAN,
jy6 13 Sec. Board of Trustees.

TEACHER WANTED
For the Grand Prairie Public School, female; holding not lower than second class certificate. Applications will be received by the undersigned not later than the 27th day of July next. Musical person preferred.
W. H. JONES,
jy5-20t Sec. Board of Trustees.

WANTED
YOUNG WOMEN AND MEN
or older ones if still young in spirit, of undoubted character, good talkers, ambitious and industrious can find employment in a good cause, with $60 per month and upwards, according to ability.
REV. T. S. LINSCOTT,
jy6-1md&w Brantford, Can.

CLIFF HOUSE, (late Henly's Hotel), has been renovated and under new management. Finest liquors and cigars. Poultry dinners on short notice; private dining and sitting rooms. Good quoit ground. jy5-1m



For Sale by Messrs. The Hudson's Bay Co. and Pither & Leiser.

TENDERS.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.
(INCORPORATED 1890.)

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES.

Sealed tenders will be received for supplying the above institution from 1st August, 1895, to 30th June, 1896, for the following articles, to be delivered free: Meat, vegetables, groceries, bread, milk, drugs and wood, also for scavenger and laundry work.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned on or before noon of July 20th, 1895.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Forms of tender can be obtained on application to H. M. YATES, jy10 Secretary, Bastion Street.

TO CONTRACTORS—Tenders wanted for plastering. Apply Victoria West School. jy4

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up till Wednesday, July 17, for the purchase or lease of the "Waverly House," situated in Cumberland, Union Mines, Comox District, B C.

This offers a good chance for investors, as the future of Union as a mining centre is assured.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For particulars apply by letter or personally to

A. LINDSAY,
Secretary Waverly House Co. Ltd.
Box 103, Union, B. C. je16

NOTICE.

THE UNION
ASSURANCE SOCIETY, A.D. 1714
OF LONDON.
CAPITAL AND ACCUMULATED FUNDS OVER $15,000,000.

Has re-insured all existing policies of the

EASTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.

EASTERN Policy-holders in Victoria may exchange their policies for those of the UNION free of charge by applying to **J. ST. CLAIR BLACKETT, General Agent, 74 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C.**

Montreal, 8th June, 1895.
T. L. MORRISEY,
je20-1m Resident Manager.

"EASTERN."

The above Fire Insurance Company having gone out of business, I beg to notify my patrons that all Policies are guaranteed by the Union Assurance Society of London until expiration, when I shall be pleased to continue same in the

IMPERIAL
FIRE INSURANCE CO'Y
OF LONDON.
Established in 1803, with Assets of
$9,000,000.

BEAUMONT BOGGS
(Late General Agent Eastern.)
je21

FOR SALE.

Subject to the Approval of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

The magnificent ranch known as the Haynes Estate, containing about 22,000 acres in contiguous blocks in and adjacent to the Okanagan Valley, British Columbia. The Estate consists chiefly of winter pasturage and some 6 000 acres of bottom land; is capable of raising large crops of hay, cereals and fruit. It is surrounded by extensive summer pasturage, is bisected by the Okanagan river and is watered by other perennial streams. The winters are milder than in most parts of British Columbia. Beef cattle have been supplied from this ranch to the Kootenay Districts and the Coast markets.

For particulars address or apply to the trustees, H. S. Mason and A. E. McPhillips, Victoria, B.C., or to their solicitors, Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, by whom tenders for the purchase of the above property will be received up to 13th July. je13-1mo

ADVERTISING AGENCY

L. P. FISHER, Newspaper Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, is our authorized Agent. This paper is kept on file in his office. je8

ARCHITECTS.

JOHN TEAGUE, ARCHITECT, CORNER of Broad street and Trounce avenue Established 1862. fel

BAKERS.

M. R. SMITH & CO.
Manufacturers of all kinds of Plain and Fancy Biscuits and Cakes, VICTORIA, B. C. fel

DRESSMAKING.

DRESS AND MANTLE MAKING.
MRS. MARSHALL
has removed to No. 132 Vancouver street, where all who require dress and mantle making can have their garments made in the most fashionable style, and perfectly fitted. dec1-tf

FRENCH DRESSMAKING—Perfect fit, first class furnishings. 18 Blanchard street. mr24

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KEEFER & SMITH,
CIVIL AND HYDRAULIC ENGINEERS.
Rooms 44 and 45 Five Sisters Block, Government street, Victoria, B.C.
G. A. KEEFER, M.I.C.E. H. B. SMITH, M.I.C.E.

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PIANOFORTE TUNING.
MR. A. F. OWEN,
Pianoforte Tuner, from J. & J. Hopkinson's, the well-known manufacturer of pianofortes, London, England; 12 years' experience. Particulars as to my ability may be had from the above firm; 3½ years with Goodwin & Co., Victoria. Orders left at Hibben's Bookstore. fe5

MADAME LAIRD,
TEACHER OF VOCAL MUSIC IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.
For terms apply at residence, 161 Vancouver street, corner Pandora. se30

PHOTOGRAPHERS.

MAYNARD'S ART STUDIO, 41 Pandora street. Dealers in all kinds of photographic material, views of British Columbia and Alaska.
Same Block—Maynard's Shoe and Finding Store, 41 Pandora street. Boots, Shoes, Leather and Shoe Findings. "K" boots a specialty. fel

PAINTERS AND PAPER HANGERS.

R. LETTICE—Dealer in Paints, Oils, varnish and window glass. Agent for Brilliant Sign Letter Co., and Aspenall's Enamel, 40 Fort street. mo17

SCAVENGERS.

ED. LINES, General Scavenger, 236 Yates street. Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Geo. Munroe, 59 Government street; Speed Bros., cor. Douglas and Fort; or Blair & Gordon, cor. Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to. de3

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately existing between the undersigned, John Robert Jennings, Moses McGregor and George Jeeves, as brick manufacturers, under the style or firm name of "McGregor & Jeeves," has been dissolved as from the 8th day of June, instant, by mutual consent. The said John Robert Jennings will carry on the said manufacture of bricks in his own name, and will receive all amounts due to the late partnership and will pay all the debts thereof. The said Moses McGregor and George Jeeves will continue to carry on their business as contractors under the style or firm name of "McGregor & Jeeves." Dated the 3rd day of June, 1895. MCGREGOR & JEEVES. JOHN R. JENNINGS. Witness—C. Dubois Mason.
jy5-1m-eod

NOTICE.
For sale 1000 cords of dry cordwood at from $2.50 per cord to $3.50 per cord, (according to quality) delivered. Samples can be seen at my yards corner of Discovery and Government streets, or Spratt's wharf. Your order solicited. Steam wood sawing done in any part of the city at current rates, also stove wood for sale cut in lengths to suit. Delivered promptly at current rates. A. C. HOWE. Telephone No. 40. jy4-6m

CITY POUND.
Notice—In pound one chestnut or dark brown mare, star on forehead. Will be sold at City Pound by auction at 12 o'clock noon, Friday, July 12, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date.
ANDREW SHAW,
Poundkeeper.
July 2nd, 1895. jy6

SHORTHAND.
Pitman's system, taught in twenty-five lessons for $25, Proficiency Guaranteed. Adares 3 Centre Road, Spring Ridge. ap1

NOTICES.

VICTORIA CITY AND ESQUIMALT DISTRICTS.

"Qualification and Registration of Voters' Act, 1876."

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of sub-section (f) of clause 9 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters' Act, 1876," I shall on Monday, the 5th day of August next, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Registers of Voters. Such Court will be open at 12 o'clock noon, at the Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria.

HARVEY COMBE,
Collector.
Victoria, B.C., 30th May, 1895. je19-td

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of July 1895, to the 1st day of August, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th June, 1895. jy3td

40-ACRE FARM FOR SALE

Situated half way between Chemainus and Maple Bay, and within 3 miles of Hall's Crossing, on the E. & N. Railway and ten miles from Duncan's. Five acres are under cultivation, and the balance has been slashed and burned, and with a slight expense can all be made ready for crop. The property is well situated, having a half mile frontage on the water. There is excellent water on the property for all purposes. There is a small house and barn on the land. For anyone requiring a small farm or a charming country seat, the above will be found well suited to their desire. The property, including various implements, will be sold for $2,000. Terms will be made to suit the purchaser.

For further particulars apply to "Rancher," care of The Colonist. no22-tf

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20 and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-law 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

IN THE NORTH WARD ON MONDAYS AND THURSDAYS.
IN THE CENTRAL WARD ON TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.
IN THE SOUTH WARD ON WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforce

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.
Water Commissioner's Office,
14th May, 1895. my15

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

The attention of the public generally, and PLUMBERS IN PARTICULAR is called to Section 16 of the "Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873," which reads as follows: "If any person or persons shall lay or cause to be laid any pipe or main to communicate with any pipe or main of the said water works, or in any way obtain or use any water thereof without the consent of the Commissioner, he or they shall forfeit or pay to the said Commissioner, for water works purposes, the sum of FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS, and also a further sum of five dollars for each day such pipe or main shall so remain, which said sum, together with the costs of suit in that behalf, may be recovered by civil action in any court of law in the Province of British Columbia having civil jurisdiction to that amount.

The provisions of the above Section will for the future be strictly carried out.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.
City Hall, 11th March, 1895. mr12

$10 REWARD.

The above-mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other building in the City of Victoria; or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto; or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises; or defacing or injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.
Victoria, March 20, 1895. mr21

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of dogs are requested to take notice that the tax for the year 1895 on every dog within the City of Victoria is now due.

The provisions of the "Pound By-law" and the "Revenue By-law, 1893," will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized to collect the above tax.

CHAS. KENT, Collector.
City Collector's Office, City Hall,
Victoria B.C., May 22nd, 1895. my23-t

HAGGARTY VS. CITY.

Argument on the Application to Prevent the Mayor Signing the Contract.

Mr. Justice McCreight Hears Both Sides and Reserves His Decision.

The waterworks injunction case came fairly before the courts yesterday when Mr. J. Stuart Yates on behalf of John Haggarty, the lowest tenderer for the waterworks improvements, asked Mr. Justice McCreight to restrain the Mayor from signing the contract with Walkley, King & Casey. Hon. D. M. Eberts (attorney-general) appeared for the city and there were quite a number of ratepayers and several contractors present to hear the argument.

Mr. Yates first read the affidavits of John Haggarty and Thomas Storey, the effect of which has already been published. The amounts of the several tenders were set forth, Haggarty's the lowest being $66,943; John Dsane $88,800; and Walkley, King & Casey $83,500. The tender of Haggarty was only $1,050 below the estimate of the city's waterworks engineer, while Walkley, King & Casey, to whom the contract was awarded, had tendered at $16 557 above Haggarty.

Mr. Justice McCreight remarked that it was specified in the advertisement for tenders that the city did not bind themselves to accept the lowest tender.

Mr. Yates replied that such a provision might relieve anyone acting for himself alone from accepting a tender, but in the case of trustees they are bound to exercise prudence and care, and where the lowest tender was not accepted he must show he had acted in the best interest of his trust. No trustee had a right to exercise his legal right to the injury of his trust. Wherever there was a trust or anything in the nature of a trust, the court may interfere to prevent imprudent exercise of the trustee's powers. Here the onus lay on the city council to show that they acted prudently in accepting a tender $16,557 higher than the lowest tender that complied with all the conditions asked for. All things being equal, it was in the interest of the taxpayers to have the cheapest tender accepted. There was only a difference of $1,050 between Mr. Haggarty's tender and the estimate of the city's own engineer and it was well known that in nine cases out of ten tenders had been let by the city lower than the engineer's estimate. Of the majority of the special committee who reported to the council in favor of Walkley, King & Casey, there were only two members of council, the Mayor and Ald. Bragg, while two aldermen, Ald. Williams and Wilson, opposed the majority report. The other two of the majority were the water commissioner and the engineer, who were simply put on the committee to give them the benefit of their opinions. Then, again, the stipulation in the notice for tenders, that no tender would be received from anyone not a resident of the province, was ultra vires, as it limited the tenders and tended to raise prices against the general interest of the ratepayers, who should have their money expended as economically as possible.

Mr. Justice McCreight—There may be good reasons for restricting the tenders.

Mr. Yates—"Not in the interest of the ratepayers as a whole." Then the council had not looked into the facts of the case nor exercised that prudence which the Court may require them to use. Had they figured out all the conditions they could have seen that they would have been amply protected in accepting Haggarty's tender. All the material brought on the ground at once becomes the property of the corporation; besides, all the contractor's plant and implements at once become the corporation's property and may be sold for the purposes of completing the contract. Take it for granted, for instance, that Haggarty had taken the contract and failed when he got half way through the work. Then the city would have first his check for $3,500 (five per cent of the contract), which accompanied his tender; they would also retain 25 per cent of the work done ($8,366); they would also have in hand half the money for the completion of the work ($33,000); or in all $44,000, or more than half the amount of the highest tender, would remain in the city's hands to complete the work.

Mr. Justice McCreight asked for cases showing where the courts could call a corporation to account for not acting with due judgment. His impression was that the court could only interfere where it was shown that a corporation had acted illegally.

Mr. Yates admitted he could not find a case exactly on all fours with the present one; but the corporation as trustees for the ratepayers might be called to account.

His Lordship was inclined to doubt this. One would not go to books on the law relating to trustees for laws relating to corporations.

Hon. Mr. Eberts argued that Mr. Yates had not made out any case. For the courts to interfere it must be shown that the council acted fraudulently or collusively, and this it had not been attempted to do. The court could not attack a corporation's actions simply because the discretion used did not happen to meet the views of someone else. There was no provision that the lowest tender must be accepted. Then the affidavit of Thomas Storey made use of such expressions as "I am informed and believe," instead of giving the grounds definitely on which the affidavit was made. Such an affidavit could only be used in interlocutory proceedings, and then the rule only said "may be used." There was no reason to believe that the council had not made proper inquiry and had decided to give the contract to a fit and proper person. How did Mr. Storey get his information? He neither stated where he got it nor from whom, but said he was "informed." Was it only street rumor?

His Lordship remarked that the affidavit was objectionable in not stating the sources of information.

Mr. Yates—I can give the reason for its being in that form.

Hon. Mr. Eberts continuing said that the affidavit made two contrary statements, for in one place it was shown that the report of the committee to the city council stated that the engineer's opinion was that Walkley, King & Casey's contract was the lowest at which the work could be properly carried out, while in another place Mr. Storey says he believes that Haggarty's price was sufficient to carry out the contract. The two statements were inconsistent.

His Lordship said he wished to know if Mr. Yates could show him any cases where the court could interfere in the letting of contracts.

Hon. Mr. Eberts said that there were none.

Mr. Yates, with reference to Mr. Storey's affidavit, said it had been prepared for an ex parte application.

His Lordship said he objected to receive them in such a form, even when they came up ex parte. As to the contract, it might be that a contract let to a good man might be more economical than one let to a poor man, even if the former was at a higher price. He would consider the matter and give a decision as promptly as possible, but it was a question in his mind whether the court could interfere in the awarding of a contract where no actual wrong doing was charged.

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A Gentleman Not as Verdant as His Name Passes a Worthless Check.

On Tuesday a well-dressed middle-aged man called at a boarding house on Pandora avenue and asked to see some rooms for himself and his son. He was shown the two best rooms in the house, as he seemed to consider that only the best would suit him and was willing to pay well for what he got. The rooms would do admirably, he said, and without any ado he decided to take them—the rooms with breakfast and late dinner for himself and son coming to $50 a month. Later in the day he returned and said he would move in yesterday morning, but to clinch the bargain he wished to pay in advance. He did not happen to have enough money about him, but produced a check for $60 on the Bank of B C. dated July 7, signed by Robert Johnstone and made payable to Charles Green. He asked if the landlady could cash this check? The landlady said she could, and gave Mr. Green who proceeded to endorse his name on the back of the check, $10 change. Mr. Green then left and up to the present time his exact whereabouts is not known. Yesterday the check was presented at the bank of B. C. for payment, but no such name as Robert Johnstone could be found on the books. Consequently the landlady is out $10 and has only a worthless piece of paper to show for it.

THE CINNAMON BEAR

To the Editor:—I see with regret that a little bear has been presented to our already fine collection of animals and birds. I have no desire to reflect upon the good intentions of those who make gifts to the Zoological Gardens, Beacon Hill park, but as no adequate provision is made while confining them to keep them in a state as near to their natural habitat as possible, the whole business is a cruel farce.

Did the cinnamon bear strangle himself, after he had been killed? One may fairly ask why. Wild animals do not generally commit suicide; they have left the honor to civilized humanity.

The little bear now presented may possibly share the same fate. Chained by a far too heavy chain to a dog kennel in all weather, its condition is cruel in the extreme. The eagles and wild birds might well be let loose. It was hardly necessary to go to the expense of building cages for guinea pigs and rabbits; they would be better in the hutches of schoolboys, who would no doubt take care of them.

The whole business casts ridicule upon the authorities, who have gone to great expense to make themselves a laughing stock. That is of little consequence. I am pleading now for the birds and the little bear. If it is desirable to keep wild animals, let us do the thing properly and provide for them in as humane a manner as possible, according to the different habits of each.

Does the park committee imagine that the sight of this miserable menagerie is either elevating or instructive? The fauna of British Columbia, to which, I think, guinea pigs and rabbits do not belong, could be much better studied in the provincial museum.

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S. Y. WOOTTON,
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Land Registry Office,
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A. F. BARHAM,
Official Liquidator.

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STILL SILENT.

It is to be observed that the Hon. Mr. Laurier has not yet given the world his views on the Manitoba school question. The amendment which it was expected he would move on Tuesday was not made. He, however, did make a motion, but the most discerning man in the Dominion will have to study it a long while before he finds out from it what the Leader of the Opposition thinks about the Manitoba school question. That motion was: "I therefore move that this House do now adjourn." It was a characteristic motion, and the speech by which it was introduced was also characteristic. It was a smart little bit of parliamentary sparring. It was an attempt to force the Leader of the House to make some admission of which his opponent could take advantage. But he found that Mr. Foster is just as skilful in defence as he is in attack, so that when the sparring match ended honors were even. But it will be observed that Mr. Laurier never for a single mement addressed himself to the subject under the consideration of the House. He was most careful not to commit himself to any expression of opinion on the subject. He, it will be remembered, made some promises — conditional, it is true—with regard to the Manitoba school question when he was on his speech-making tour in the West. He has had surely time enough and opportunity enough since then to find out what is the exact nature of the Manitoba school system now in operation, and how it affects the Roman Catholic minority, but he has never yet given to the world the result of his study and observation. What is the meaning of this most extraordinary reticence? Has the subject been too deep and too intricate for his intellectual powers, or is he afraid to announce the conclusions at which he has arrived to Parliament and the people of this Dominion? There is a third alternative, he may not consider it good policy to speak what he is convinced is the truth with respect to this most important subject. What he believes to be for the advancement of his party may have more weight with him than the interests of truth and the welfare of his country.

THE NEW FICTION.

The "new fiction" is having its day, and it is to be hoped that it will not be a long one. We do not know that the world will be any better than it is now after its story-tellers have acquired the habit of speaking openly and loudly about things and conditions that their predecessors of the past did not venture to more than to allude to distantly. The decent reticence of the old novellists was more wholesome both from an artistic and a moral point of view than the outspoken "realism" of some modern novelists, and there can be no doubt that their books were pleasanter reading. There is a passage in an article headed "A Question of Art," in a late number of Harper's Weekly, which in our opinion is well worth reading and thinking over.

"The evil thing of which Mr. Quilter (in the June number of the Contemporary Review), and those who agree with him, complain is that the veil is withdrawn and that the artist and society insist that any life is worthy of presentation in a work of art, and that art must not deal with the truth, but with all truth. Art has no such function. Art may offend less when it tells in books the truth that men and women do not talk about with one another, or where it presents life and discusses subjects that are hideous, revolting and fleshly. There is no more corrupt and corrupting thing in this world than a story of depravity told simply because it presents a phase of life that really exists. When a book with such a story goes into a pure household where there are young and innocent girls its author commits a crime against that which is loveliest in all the world, and he earns the contempt and anger of all good men and women. The subjects of art should be beautiful and elevating. We want nature and truth, but we do not want nature in its meaner and baser moods, nor truth which is a proper object of police surveillance, unless indeed, the sodden truth is painted as the black shadow of an otherwise beautiful picture."

NORTH AMERICAN INDIANS.

It would be interesting and edifying to know what civilization has really done for the North American Indian. Has he been improved by contact with civilization or has he deteriorated? We have been told of the good that missionaries and schools and instructors in the useful arts have done the aboriginal tribes; but now and then accounts reach us which makes us doubtful of the benefits that the white man has conferred on his red brother. Among these is a story which is to be found in the Toronto Globe, of the 4th inst. It is an account of what had been done on an Indian reservation in this Dominion of Canada but a short time previously. The reserve is the Blackfoot Reserve, near Gleichen, N.W.T. It is described as the largest reserve of Indians in the West, there being on it between 1,200 and 1,500 Indians. There has been a missionary station on this reserve for at least twelve years, and there have also been established on it schools for the education of the children. The missionary who has labored among these Blackfoot Indians for twelve years is the Rev. J. W. Tims, who appears to be a zealous, conscientious, hard-working teacher of Christianity.

These Blackfoot Indians, notwithstanding the instruction they have received, are most superstitious and they still practise their barbarous rites. Their superstitions are not harmless. They cause the people to be insubordinate and they lead to acts of outrage and murder. These Indians, like all savages, have peculiar ideas as to the causes of sickness. They are also passionately fond of their children. An Indian brave named Scraping Hide had a little boy at the children's home on the Reserve who while there took sick. The father removed him while ill to his tepee. The child, in spite of his father's care, died. Scraping Hide, in his frenzy, attributed his death to some of the white officials of the reserve. Soon after the child's death he put on his war paint, loaded his rifle and set out for the dwellings of the white men. There was no one in the first house at which he called, but he proceeded on his journey of revenge and knocked at the door of Mr. Skynner's abode. The door was opened by Mr. Skynner himself, who was instantly shot dead by the infuriated savage. This was in April last. Stories were raised among the Indians to the prejudice of the good missionary, Mr. Tims. It was seriously said that he was the devil and that he had bad eyes. Charges which were both foolish and false were made against him, and it was not difficult to see that he was greatly out of favor with the Indians. He had forbidden the children of the home to attend the barbarous and demoralizing Indian dances. There were complaints about the rations, and Mr. Tims was in some way held to blame for their scantiness.

While this feeling against the missionary prevailed a little girl at the home took sick suddenly. Mr. Tims was in Calgary at the time. After a short illness the child died. Her parents, while she was ill, wanted to take her to their tent to be cared for, no doubt after the Indian fashion, but the doctor refused to let them have the child. When it was known that the child was dead there was a great commotion among the Indians. One of the braves started with his rifle to waylay Mr. Tims, but was followed by the farm instructor and prevailed upon to return. The white people on the reserve became alarmed. They evidently believed that they would be murdered. The plan that they hit upon to appease the threatening crowd was to feed them. The women were terrified, but no violence was offered them. The white officials were not allowed to attend the child's funeral. A squaw attacked one of the officials who was following the body, with a murderous looking knife. The men seized her before she could do any harm but the braves told him that if he attempted to accompany them to the grave he would be shot. A day or two after this Mr. Tims was threatened with death by an Indian, painted and armed. The Indian braves went about the reserve shooting the dogs they met and shouting the name by which Mr. Tims was known among the Indians So threatening were the demonstrations against the missionary that it was considered necessary that he and his family should leave the reservation. The children's home or school was also broken up. The Indians determined to celebrate their sun dance, and it is said that "all discipline or respect for authority has been abandoned on the reserve."

The sun dance is a savage and terribly disgusting ceremony. During its continuance the young Indians to show their manhood go through a terrible ordeal. Even to read of the tortures they undergo is sickening. It is not surprising that people wonder whether men who are in the condition of the Blackfoot Indians, and who continue their barbarous heathen rites and practices, have derived the least benefit from the teachings of the missionaries or from civilized men generally. It is to be remarked that nearly every white man who has come in contact with the Indian of the plains dislikes him heartily and entertains for him the greatest contempt. This may be the effect of race prejudice, but then it may be, as many intelligent men declare it to be, the result of long and unpleasant experience. It is to be remembered that no such feeling as this exists against the aborigines of this province. The Siwashes, as they are called, live on the best terms with their white neighbors and employers. They are more civilizable and more ready to adopt the ways of white men than the Indians of the plains. But on taking a survey of the whole continent, it does not appear that the North American Indian is under any very deep debt of gratitude to the white man.

EDITORIAL NOTE.

In both Houses of Parliament yesterday afternoon announcements were made on the part of the Government that positive statements would be given to-day regarding the political situation.

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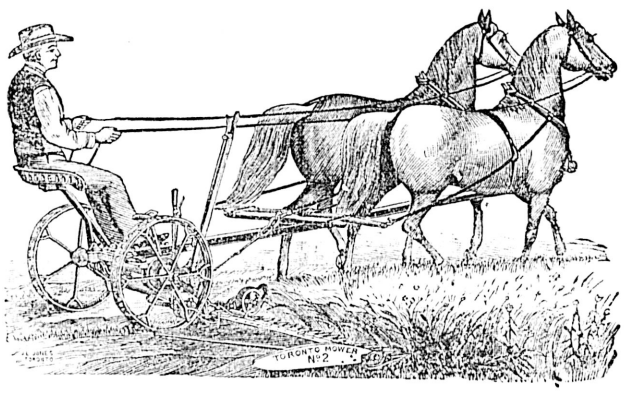

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I am instructed to sell by public auction on Saturday, July 20th, at 12 o'clock, at salesroom, Bastion Square, all that piece or parcel of land known as Lot 8, Block 34, city and suburbs of New Westminster, and the Southwest Quarter of Section 6, Township 15, East of Coast Meridian, New Westminster District, containing 160 acres (more or less), owned by R. W. Armstrong. Also Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Block 332, City of Vancouver, and part of District Lot 526, owned by Angus G. Boggs.
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July 12—Carpets, etc. Pliny E. Davis & Co.
July 20—Real estate. Joshua Davies.

To-day at 2 p.m. Messrs. H. Cuthbert & Co. will sell by auction the desirable furniture, electroplate, china, piano, pictures, etc., of 15 Harrison street, without reserve. The sale will positively be held if only six people turn up. Fort street tram takes you right to the house.

THE CITY.

GRASS fires are again demanding the serious attention of the fire department.

THE band of the battalion gave a much appreciated concert at Beacon Hill park last evening.

PANDORA street between Douglas and Blanchard is temporarily closed to traffic during the prosecution of repairs.

THE appeal in Tremblay v. DeRocher was finished yesterday as far as argument was concerned. Decision was reserved.

THE butcher business heretofore carried on by R. W. Ward on Fort street, will in future be conducted by J. D. McNeill and W. G. Mills.

THE Salvation Army will welcome Major Frederick, their provincial secretary, at the barracks this evening. The Major will speak on Army matters, after which a tea will be served by the ladies. Everybody welcome.

THE adjourned annual meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U. was held at the residence of Mrs. Teague yesterday evening when the yearly reports were presented. The election of officers was postponed for a week on account of the pressure of other business.

PROF. M. C. AKER, of Seattle, formerly of Boston, Mass., a graduated member of the American National Association of Masters of Dancing, will during the summer season give instructions in all the latest plain and fancy dances at the A. O. U. W. hall.

THE boating party this evening promises to be a most enjoyable affair; a large number of tickets are sold. Refreshments will be served, and a dance in Mrs. Marshall's hall is promised. The grounds will be prettily illuminated and the boats will leave town at 8:30.

ROGERS v. HEARST came before the Divisional court yesterday. This is an appeal from the order of Mr. Justice Drake for the attachment of the receiver Prevost of the Hearst estate for non-payment of money into court. The grounds of the appeal are that the receiver was entitled to remuneration before paying money into court. Mr. Aikman for appellant, Mr. Irving for respondent.

IN the city police court yesterday Robert Waring, for being in possession of stolen property, was given two months at hard labor. The defence was that the property had been given to the accused by the proprietor of the old Telegraph hotel. This Mr. Dudgeon admitted, but he had not, he said, been aware that the trunk had any contents. It was for selling a portion of these contents that Waring was arrested.

TO-MORROW evening Bulwer Lytton's masterpiece, "Richelieu," will be presented at the Victoria theatre, with Col. W. J. Fife, of Tacoma, in the title role, supported by his own company and with his own orchestra. The indications are that the house will be packed, as strong efforts are being put forth by the Knights of Pythias and other organizations in the city to make his initial appearance a success. x

THE I.O.O.F. excursion committee have decided to hold the annual excursion of the order to Tacoma, on the 17th of August. The steamer City of Kingston has been engaged for the occasion, and it is expected that the run will be made in about seven hours, which will make the time spent on the water very little in excess of previous years, when the excursion has been to Seattle. The fare for the round trip has been placed at the low rate of $1 50, and as the Kingston has 100 staterooms, ample accommodation will be found on board for all who may elect to join friends of the three links in their next excursion. Tickets for the excursion will be issued shortly.

A LATE London paper contains the following brief paragraph of passing interest to Victorians: "A fashionably dressed young man named Marmaduke Wood surrendered to his bail at the London Sessions at Clerkenwell yesterday, charged with having obtained by means of false pretences from Barnett Weigal a ring, value £13 10s, the setting of a pin value 30s, and a pin value £6, in each case with intent to defraud. Mr. Moyses, appearing for the prosecution, said that, having read the depositions, he had come to the conclusion that there was very considerable doubt in this case and therefore he would not offer any evidence against the accused. Sir P Edlin concurred and the jury acquitted Wood, he being at once liberated. Mr Charles Mathews appeared for the defence."

THE Orangemen were busy yesterday making arrangements for the celebration to-morrow. At the corner of Yates and Douglas streets a party of workmen were erecting the arch of neat design, covered with green and orange. It will bear the motto of the order, "Our God, Our Country, and Our Queen." At least four large excursions will arrive Friday forenoon. The Joan will be in from Port Angeles between eleven and twelve, bringing a large number of American friends. The special train bearing the Nanaimo and Wellington contingent is scheduled to arrive at 10:30 a.m., and about the same time the Yosemite will arrive from Westminster with the excursionists from that city and Vancouver. The Tacoma and Seattle party are due at 9 a.m. by the N P. steamer Sehome. At the Caledonia park everything is being put in readiness, and all that is required now is good weather to make the celebration a success. Grand Master Sparling, of the League, arrived down from Vancouver by last night's boat, and will assist the local officers in their final arrangements to-day. The ball to be given in the A O.U.W. hall in the evening under the auspices of L O L. No. 1426, will form a very pleasant ending of the day. There will be a prize waltz during the evening. The Tacoma orchestra will furnish the music.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR and Mrs. Dewdney will occupy a box at the performance given by Col W. J. Fife at the Victoria theatre on July 12.

THE bush fires reported yesterday morning are still spreading and the air was heavy with smoke last night. Out Cadboro Bay way 120 cords of wood were destroyed, but no other damage has been done.

L. O. L. No. 1426 passed a motion at their last meeting to do all they could to make the theatre entertainment of Col. Fife a success. The Colonel is a prominent member of the League in Tacoma and a leader of the P. P. A.

A GOOD opportunity for a delightful trip across the Straits will be afforded to-morrow, when the Joan will carry excursions between here and Port Angeles. She leaves Victoria at 4 a. m. and 10 p. m., and Port Angeles at 7 a. m and 12 midnight.

COUNCIL Deputy J. J. McKenna, of Seghers Council, No. 85, Y.M.I., installed the following officers at a meeting of that council last evening: President, D. McBrady; 1st Vice, W. H. Harris; 2nd Vice, T. Roarke; Rec. Sec, W. Mulcahy; Cor. Sec., H. V. Marbœuf; Fin. Sec., M. Steele; Treas., J. A. Van Nevel; Marshal, C. McDowell; I.S., P. Lavin; O.S., M. Lawless; Ex. Com., S. A. Bantly, J. Leonard and C. Wilkes.

THE body of Sergeant Levin was brought down from Vancouver by the Charmer last evening under escort of members from the various lodges, and orders with which the deceased had been connected. The remains were borne from the boat by six policemen and taken to the Hebrew Ladies' Association hall on Blanchard street where the funeral will be held to-day at 2:15 p.m. under the direction of the Oddfellows, Knights and Foresters.

A REGIMENTAL order by Major Townley, commanding the B.C.G.A., acquaints the members of the corps with the complimentary remarks of Admiral Stephenson, the commander-in-chief, upon the soldierly bearing and general efficiency of all ranks on the occasion of the late review held in Vancouver. "He is desired," he adds, "to thank the headquarter companies on behalf of the citizens of Vancouver for the very material way in which they assisted in making the Dominion day celebration a conspicuous success."

ELECTRICITY IN THE BUSH.

Barclay Sound About to Have an Illustration of Up-to-Date Enterprise.

A complete electric plant in operation in the immense forest of the West Coast will before many days be one of the wonders of British Columbia, and this new application of electricity bids fair to prove equally creditable to local enterprise and profitable in its financial results. The plant has for several months been in course of manufacture and preparation in this city, and the last consignment of it formed an important part of the freight carried by the Maude, which left for the West Coast last evening. Among her passengers were the party of men who will erect the plant, under the skilful direction of Mr. C. G. Cunningham, of the firm of Hinton & Cunningham, constructing electricians, of this city. It is to be established on the limits of Mr. Wm. Sutton, in Euculet district, Barclay Sound.

The greatest difficulty which the lumbermen of this province have to contend with, is that of transporting the immense trees, after they have been felled, to the water, for once afloat it is a comparatively simple matter to handle even the greatest of these giants. Dependence has had to be placed hitherto on teams of mules or horses or on steam power, when the services of a portable engine could be brought into use, and in the Barclay Sound region it has been a source of great trouble and expense to transport and operate even the portable engines. Now these are to give way to electric motors, which will be run by the unlimited water power adjacent, the motors being easily moveable and the task of stringing the wires to conduct the electric current being simplicity itself.

Where this modern improvement is to be introduced a canal has already been dug for a considerable distance through the limits, and by the application of electric power the logs will in a few minutes be drawn from where they have fallen along skids to the waterway. The immense stock of timber which can be cut from a comparatively limited area makes works of this nature of more than transient utility and encourages such enterprise as has been shown in this instance. It is not at all improbable that Mr. Sutton's example will be followed in other limits.

The steamer Joan will bring an excursion from Port Angeles to Victoria on Friday next, July 12 h, and will carry passengers both ways. She will leave Victoria at 4 a m and about 10 p.m, returning from Port Angeles at 7 a.m. and 12 midnight. Fare for the round trip, 50c. Tickets may be obtained at the boat. x

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The Devil's Playground	75c
Highland Cousins—Wm. Black	75c
Beyond the Dreams of Avarice—Besant	75c
Boy—Myrtle and Peat Crocket	75c
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THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Great Lacrosse Predicted for the First Senior Home Match Here on Saturday.

Wheelmen's Club Races—Rifle Tourney Affairs—The Regatta—Yesterday's Cricket.

A cricket match was played between the Albion and R.M.A. teams at Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon, which ended in a victory for the Albions on a score of 108 to 101. The R.M.A. elected to bat first, and opened rather badly, two wickets being down for 7 runs; Sweet and Glover, however, took the score to 31 before the former was dismissed for a useful 16. The next six wickets fell rapidly and the score stood 9 wickets for 53. Glover and Cannon, the last men in, were equal to the occasion and added 48 before the innings closed, the tenth wicket falling when the total had reached 101. The feature of this innings was the 44 made by Glover, who went in first and carried out his bat. Cannon also played well for his 22, and Anderson bowled well for the Albions, securing 8 wickets for 39.

The Albions then began their venture, sending Warden and Swinerton in first. These two batsmen played in splendid form and treated all the R.M.A. bowlers alike. Not until the score had reached 70 was Warden dismissed by a fast baller from Barraclough, after making a dashing 34. The next wicket produced 15 runs, Anderson having to retire l.b.w. to Kelly. Bothwell scored 4, when he was dismissed in the same manner. McLeod joined Swinerton, and both played carefully for a couple of overs, when unfortunately the latter was caught in the long field, having made 34 by a good display of cricket. The fifth wicket fell when the R.M.A. score was tied, the succeeding wickets falling at 108. The peculiarity of the Albions' innings was that three men retired leg before wicket to the same umpire. The score:

R. M. A. C. C.

Glover, not out	44
Sawyer, c Cuthbert, b Anderson	0
Hatcher, b Andersen	3
Sweet, b Anderson	16
Simmonds, b Anderson	0
Barraclough, b Warden	0
Kelly, c Booth, b Warde n	0
Strong, b Anderson	4
Bourner, c Cuthbert, b Anderson	0
Rann, b Anderson	0
Cannon, b Anderson	22
Extras	12
Total	101

ALBION C. C.

Q. D. H. Warden, b Barraclough	34
R. H. Swinerton, c Rann, b Glover	34
A. C. Anderson, l b w, b Kelly	8
J. J. Bothwell, l b w b Kelly	4
D Macleod, b Barraclough	8
L York, c Sweet, b Bourner	4
H. L. Gulline, c Sawyer, b Bourner	4
H Cuthbert, l b w b Bourner	0
A Booth, b Bourner	0
W. Savory, b Barraclough	0
W. L. Sinton, not out	0
Extras	12
Total	108

LACROSSE.

TRIANGLES V. WESTMINSTERS.

On Saturday next the first home match of the Triangles will be played at the Caledonia grounds, their opponents being New Westminster. The contest between these clubs has been looked forward to with intense interest since the consolidation of the British Columbia league, firstly because the present strength of the teams composing it is an uncertain quantity, and secondly from the fact that so many junior players have this season been drafted into the senior teams. In the last league match between the Triangles and the Vancouver club, the former were but weakly represented, and the game played on Dominion Day at the Terminal City was no just criterion of the playing qualities of the Victoria team. Several of their best men could not get away to Vancouver, and of those who did, at least three were so disabled by injuries as to be absolutely useless. The playing of the juniors on that occasion was a revelation and as Vancouver were easily defeated by Westminster, it will make the competition for the championship a very open question, if the Royal City boys suffer defeat on Saturday next. And that they will be defeated seems to be the general opinion in the city at present. Not only will the Triangles put their best men in the field for the opening game on the home ground, but every man will be in the pink of condition, and no one will be allowed to handle a stick on Saturday next unless in the opinion of their veteran trainer, Professor Foster, he is fit to run for a man's life. It will be a hot game from the turn loose. No milk and watery plays, no dallying with the ball till the check takes it away. From start to finish the Triangles will put up championship lacrosse, and the first home game of 1895 promises to be the most exciting ever witnessed in Victoria.

THE RIFLE.

THE PROVINCIAL MEET.

Arrangements are progressing well for the annual prize meeting of the B. C. rifle association, to take place at Goldstream, as already announced, on the 25th, 26th and 27th inst. The official programme will be issued to-day. Captain Barnes of the R. M. A., who last year proved a thoroughly popular range officer, has been requested to again act in that capacity; and Col. Rawstorne has kindly consented to grant leave to the non-commissioned officers of the R. M. A. whose services as score-keepers are again in demand. The C.P.N. company have as usual granted an excursion rate for the benefit of competitors from Vancouver and Westminster, and the E. & N. railway company will be asked to extend a like privilege to those from Nanaimo. A letter from Mr. H. Dallas Helmcken, Q.C., M.P.P., received yesterday, showed that his kind interest in the association has not diminished, for it contained instructions to have the Dorothy medal, his annual gift, prepared as usual. This is one of the most coveted of the long list of prizes, and the thoughtfulness shown by the letter will be specially appreciated, as the matter had not been thought of before Mr. Helmcken's departure for England, and it had not been intended to communicate with him on the subject until his return.

BICYCLE RACES.

The majority of prizes won at the V. W. C. Meet on Saturday last were won by parties riding a first grade wheel, viz., THE COLUMBIA. In future keep your eagle eye on this make of wheel. We are also agents for THE CLEVELAND and CRESCENT BIKES. . . . .

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THE WHEEL.

SATURDAY'S CLUB RACES.

Mr. Frank E. Alley, secretary of the V.W.C., is at present receiving entries for the club races at the Oak Bay track next Saturday, the events being a quarter mile dash, half mile, one mile, three and five miles. The races are intended simply to give members of the club track practice, and will be conducted as though they were part of a regular race meeting. It is to the advantage of all local riders to participate, and they should make it a point to do so. The public will be admitted free to both grounds and grand stand, and the tramway company will give a special service to enable them to watch the home men in sharp training.

WESTCOTT'S ROAD CENTURY.

CHICAGO, July 10.—The local hundred-mile road record was broken Monday by C.A. Wescott, who rode his 100 miles on the Elgin-Aurora course in a race in 6 9:20, lowering Stanwood's mark almost 25 minutes.

TENNIS.

SEATTLE TOURNAMENT.

The Olympic tennis club of Seattle hold their open tournament on Wednesday, July 24, and following days. The events are: Gentlemen's open singles for the Carter challenge cup, gentlemen's open doubles for the Marriott challenge cups, ladies' and gentlemen's open doubles, ladies' singles and ladies' doubles. Entries, with $1 entrance fee, must be made with the secretary, Mr. Lancelot Pelly, Seattle, by July 20. Mr. E. A. Jacob, secretary of the Victoria tennis club, will be happy to give any information to intending competitors. Several of the Victoria tennis players have already signified their intention to take part in the tournament.

HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT EVENTS.

Everyone will be pleased to know that it is likely that Mr. Macaulay will pull three in the Burrard crew after all, but in case business detains him at the last moment Mr. Frank Springer is practicing to be in readiness to take his place.

The ex-champion heavy weight pugilist, Alf Greenfield, is dead.

Yale has cabled Cambridge that the conditions she made are satisfactory. Yale will arrange for a house in New Haven and Yale's track will be at Cambridge's disposal.

The annual shoot of the Victoria Gun Club for the club trophy will take place next month.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The steamer Maude left for the West Coast last evening, carrying amongst her passengers Miss Amy Munroe, Mrs. McDougall and Miss Curwein.

Steamer Coquitlam arrived in yesterday from Haddington island with stone for the government buildings.

The Chilian ship Republic is loading lumber at Hastings.

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Str. Charmer.....from Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" Sehome..... " " "
" Lorne..... " Straits
" Lottie..... " Nanaimo.
" R. P. Rithet..... " N. Westminster.
" Evangel..... " Port Angeles.
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Landsdowne House, annual "Mark Down Sale" commence on Tuesday next, July 9.

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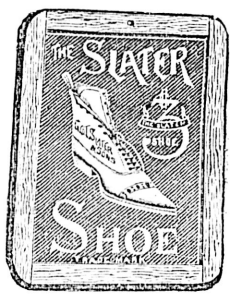

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ADDRESSES

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There will also be Tugs-of-War (Island v. Mainland), Foot Racing and all kinds of Field Sports.

The Grand Procession Forms on Yates Street at 10 a.m.

L.O.L. No. 1610 meets at 8 a.m.; L.O.L. No. 1426 at 9 a.m.; the L.T.B.'s at 9:30 a.m., and the Sons and Daughters of England at 10 a.m., all in the A.O.U.W. Hall.

The day's celebration will be completed with an **ORANGE BALL**, under the auspices of L.O.L. No. 1426, in the A.O.U.W. Hall.

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CHAPTER XXVII.

CONSCIENTIOUS SCRUPLES.

This is an age of booms. Institution and name have come over to us from America. When a thing succeeds at all, it succeeds, as a rule, to the very top of its deserving. So in a few weeks' time it was abundantly clear that "An Elizabethan Seadog" was to be one of the chief booms of the publishing season. Everybody bought it; everybody read it; everybody talked about it. Conan Doyle and Rudyard Kipling stood trembling for their laurels. And to this result Arnold Willoughby himself quite unconsciously contributed by writing two or three indignant letters to papers that reviewed the book as his own production, complaining of the slight thus put upon his veracity. Of course he would have been wholly incapable of inventing this idea as an advertising dodge, but he wrote with such earnestness in defense of his own true account of his antiquarian find that everybody read his passionate declarations with the utmost amusement.

"He's immense!" Mr. Stanley remarked, overjoyed, to his partner, Mr. Lockhart. "That man's immense. He's simply stupendous. What a glorious liar! By far the finest bit of fiction in the whole book is that marvelously realistic account of how he picked up the manuscript in a small shop in Venice, and now he caps it all by going and writing to The Times that it's every word of it true, and that if these implied calumnies continue any longer he will be forced at last to vindicate his character by a trial for libel. Delicious! Delicious! It's the loveliest bit of advertising I've seen for years, and just to think of his getting The Times to aid and abet him in it."

"But have you seen today's Athenæum?" Mr. Lockhart responded cheerfully. "No? Well, here it is, and it's finer and finer. Their reviewer said last week, you know, they'd very much like to inspect the original manuscript of such a unique historical document and humorously hinted that it ought to be preserved in the British museum. Well, hang me, if Willoughby doesn't pretend this week to take their banter quite seriously and proceed to spin a cock and bull yarn about how the original got lost at sea on a Dundee sealer! Magnificent! Magnificent! The unblushing audacity of it! And he does it all with such an air. Nobody ever yet equaled him as an amateur advertiser. The cheek of the man's so fine. He'd say anything to screw himself into notoriety anyhow. And the queer part of it all is that his work's quite good enough to stand by itself on its own merits without that. He's a splendid story teller, only he doesn't confine the art of fiction to its proper limits."

Whether it was by virtue of Arnold Willoughby's indignant disclaimers, however, or of its intrinsic merits as a work of adventure, "An Elizabethan Seadog" was all the rage at the libraries. Mr. Mudie, crowned Apollo of our British Parnassus, advertised at once a thousand copies. "And it's so wonderful, you know," all the world said to its neighbor. "It was written, they say, by a common sailor!" When Arnold heard that, it made him almost ready to disclose his real position in life, for he couldn't bear to take credit for extraordinary genius and self education when as a matter of fact his English diction was the net result of the common gentlemanly sojourn at Harrow and Oxford. But he was obliged to bite his lips over this matter in silence.

The praise showered upon the book he felt was none of his own making. Half of it was due to Master John Collingham of Holt, in Norfolk, whom nobody believed in, and the other half was due to the actual facts of the Elizabethan narrative. Whatever little credit might accrue from the style and workmanship of the translation Arnold recognized he obtained under false pretenses as the self taught genius, while as a matter of fact he had always possessed every advantage of birth, breeding and education. So it came to pass by the irony of circumstances that he, the man who of all others desired to be judged on his merits as a human being, got all the false credit of a book he had never written and a difficulty surmounted which had never existed.

The position positively preyed upon Arnold Willoughby's spirits. He saw he was misunderstood. People took him for just the opposite of what he really was; they thought him a clever, pushing, self advertising adventurer—him, the sensitive, shrinking, self deprecatory martyr to an overexacting conscience. And there was no way out of it except by ruining his cousin Algy's position. He must endure it in silence and stand the worst that people could say or think of him. After all, to be, not to seem, was the goal of his ambition; what he was in himself not what people thought of him, was everything to him. There was one man on earth whose good opinion he desired to conciliate and retain; one man from whom he could never escape, morning, noon or night, and that man was Arnold Willoughby. So long as he earned the approbation of his own conscience the rest was but a matter of minor importance.

Nor did the boom promise to do Arnold much permanent or pecuniary good. To be sure, it gained him no small notoriety, but then notoriety was the very thing he wished most to avoid. London hostesses were anxious, after their kind, to secure the new lion for their "at homes" and their garden parties, and Rufus Mortimer and Kathleen Hesslegrave were beseiged by good ladies as soon as it was known they had made Arnold's acquaintance at Venice with vicarious invitations for him for dinner, lunch or evening. But Arnold was not to be drawn. "So very retiring, you know," people said. "Doesn't like to make himself cheap. Quite a recluse, Mr. Mortimer tells me. That's often the way with these men of genius. Think so much of their favors! Don't want to let us everyday people have the benefit of their society." But Arnold's point of view was simply this—that if Canon Valentine had been able to recognize him so might somebody else, and therefore he held it best to avoid that great world he had fled long before and to keep to his own little circle of artistic acquaintances.

Meanwhile the book made money. It was making money daily. And under these circumstances it occurred to Mr. Stanley one morning to observe to his partner:

"I say, Lockhart, don't you think it's about time for us to send a little check to that fellow Willoughby?"

Mr. Lockhart looked up from his papers.

"Well, you're right perhaps," he answered. "He's a first rate man, there's no doubt, and we had the book from him cheap. We gave him £50 for it. We've made—let me see—I should say 700. Let's send him a check for 100 guineas. 'Pon my soul, he deserves it."

"All right," the senior partner answered, drawing out his checkbook and proceeding to act at once upon the generous suggestion.

Generous, I say, and say rightly, though it is the fashion among certain authors to talk about the meanness and stinginess of publishers. As a matter of observation, I should say, on the contrary, there are no business men on earth so just and so generous. In no other trade would a man who has bought an article for a fair price in the open market, and then has found it worth more than the vender expected, feel himself called upon to make that vender a free gift of a portion of his profits. But publishers often do it—indeed, almost as a matter of course expect to do it. Intercourse with an elevating and ennobling profession has produced in the class an exceptionally high standard of generosity and enlightened self interest.

As soon as Arnold received that check he went round with it at once, much disturbed, to Kathleen's.

"What ought I to do?" he asked. "This is very embarrassing."

"Why, cash it, of course," Kathleen answered. "What on earth should you wish to return it for, dear Arnold?"

"Well, you see," Arnold replied, looking shamefaced, "it's sent under a misconception. They persist in believing I wrote that book. But you know I didn't. I only discovered and transcribed and translated it. Therefore they're paying me for what I never did. And as a man of honor I confess I don't see how I can take their money."

"But they made it out of your translation," Kathleen answered, secretly admiring him all the time in her own heart of hearts for his sturdy honesty. "After all, you discovered the book; you deciphered it; you translated it. The original's lost. Nobody else can ever make another translation. The copyright of it was yours, and you sold it to them under its real value. They're only returning you now a small part of what you would have made if you had published it yourself at your own risk, and I think you're entitled to it."

Arnold was economist enough to see at a glance through that specious feminine fallacy.

"Oh, no," he answered, with warmth. "That's not the fair way to put it. If I'd had capital enough at the time and had published it myself, I would have risked my own money and would have been fairly entitled to whatever I got upon it. But I hadn't the capital, don't you see? And even if I had I wouldn't have cared to chance it. That's what the publisher is for. He has capital, and he chooses to risk it in the publication of books, some of which are successes and some of which are failures. He expects the gains on the one to balance and make up for the losses on the other. If he had happened to lose by the 'Elizabethan Seadog,' I wouldn't have expected him to come down upon me to make good his deficit. Therefore, when he happens to have made by it, I can't expect him to come forward out of pure generosity and give me a portion of what are strictly his own profits."

Kathleen saw he was right, her intelligence went with him, yet she couldn't bear to see him let £100 slip so easily through his fingers—though she would have loved and respected him a great deal the less had he not been so constituted.

"But surely," she said, "they must know themselves they bought it too cheap of you, or else they would never dream of sending you this conscience money."

"No," Arnold answered resolutely. "I don't see it that way. When I sold them the book, £50 was its full market value. I was glad to get so much and glad to sell to them. Therefore they bought it at its fair price for the moment. The money worth of a manuscript, especially a manuscript by an unknown writer, must always be to a great extent a matter of speculation. I didn't think the thing worth £50 when I offered it for sale to Stanley & Lockhart, and when they named their price I jumped at the arrangement. If they had proposed to me two alternative modes of purchase at the time—£50 down or a share of the profits—I would have said at once, 'Give me the money in hand, with no risk or uncertainty.' Therefore how can I be justified, now I know the thing has turned out a complete success, in accepting the share I would have refused beforehand?"

This was a hard nut for Kathleen. As a matter of logic, being a reasonable creature, she saw for herself Arnold was wholly right, yet she couldn't bear to see him throw away £100, that was so much to him now, on a mere point of sentiment. So she struck out a middle course.

"Let's go and ask Mr. Mortimer," she said. "He's a clear headed business man as well as a painter. He'll tell us how it strikes him from the point of view of unadulterated business."

"Nobody else's opinion, as mere opinion, would count for anything with me," Arnold answered quietly. "My conscience has only itself to reckon with, not anybody outside me. But perhaps Mortimer might have some reason to urge—some element in the problem that hasn't yet struck me. If so, of course I shall be prepared to give it whatever weight it may deserve in forming my decision."

So they walked round together to Rufus Mortimer's London house. Mortimer was in his studio, painting away at an ideal picture of "Love Self Slain," which was not indeed without its allegorical application to himself and Kathleen and Arnold Willoughby, for it represented the god as a winged young man, very sweet and sad looking, mortally wounded, yet trying to pass on a lighted torch in his hands to a more fortunate comrade who bent over him in pity. Kathleen took little notice of the canvas, however—for love, alas, is always a wee bit selfish to the feelings of outsiders—but laid her statement of the case before Mortimer succinctly. She told him all they had said, down to Arnold's last remark, that if Rufus had any new element in the problem to urge he would be prepared to give it full weight in his decision. When she reached that point, Rufus broke in with a smile.

"Why, of course I have," he answered. "I'm a capitalist myself, and I see at a glance the weak point of your argument. You forget that these publishers are business men; they are thinking not only of the past, but of the future. Gratitude, we all know, is a lively sense of favors to come. It's pretty much the same with the generosity of publishers. As a business man I don't for a moment believe in it. They see you've made a hit, and they think you're likely to make plenty more hits in future. They know they've paid you a low price for your book, and they've made a lot of money for themselves out of publishing it. They don't want to drive away the goose that lays the golden eggs. So they offer you a hundred pounds as a sort of virtual retaining fee—an inducement to you to bring your next book for issue to them, not to any other publisher."

"That settles the thing then," Arnold answered decisively.

"You mean you'll keep the check?" Kathleen exclaimed, with beaming eyes.

"Oh, dear, no," Arnold replied, with a very broad smile. "Under those circumstances of course there's nothing at all left for me but to return it instantly."

"Why so?" Kathleen cried, amazed. She knew Arnold too well by this time to suppose he would do anything but what seemed to him the absolutely right and honest conduct.

"Why, don't you see," Arnold answered, "they send me this check always under that same mistaken notion that it was I who wrote the 'Elizabethan Seadog,' and therefore that I can write any number more such works of imagination. Now, the real fact is, I'm a mere translator—a perfectly prosaic, everyday translator. I never so much as tried to write a story in my life, and if they think they're going to get future books out of me and be recouped in that way they're utterly mistaken. I haven't the faintest idea of how to write a novel, so it wouldn't be fair to accept their money under such false pretenses. I shall send their check back to them."

"Don't do that," Mortimer said, laying one hand on his shoulder. "Nobody ever knows what he can do till he tries. Why

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not set to work at a similar novel and see what you can make of it? If you fail, no matter, and if you succeed, why, there you are—your problem is solved for you. The 'Elizabethan Seadog' would give you a fair start, right or wrong, with the reviewers, and if you've anything in you you ought to pull through with it."

But Arnold shook his head.

"No, no," he said firmly, "that would never do. It would be practically dishonest. I can't describe myself as the author of the 'Elizabethan Seadog,' for that I'm not, and if I call myself even the editor or translator I should seem to be claiming a sort of indirect and suggested authorship to which I've no right. I must let the thing drop. I'm almost sorry now I ever began with it."

"At any rate," Mortimer cried, "come along with me now to Stanley & Lockhart's."

"Oh, I'll come along with you if that's all," Arnold responded readily. "I want to go round and return this check to them."

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8.01 "	4.55 "	Russells	12.15 "	8.25 "
8.14 "	5.05 "	Esquimalt	12.06 "	8.18 "
8.17 "	5.08 "	Stewart	12.03 "	8.15 "
8.21 "	5.09 "	Parsons Bridge	12.00 "	8.12 "
8.37 "	5.15 "	Colwood	11.53 "	8.06 "
8.57 "	5.24 "	Goldstream	11.43 "	7.57 "
9.05 "	5.32 "	Summit Siding	11.35 "	7.50 "
9.30 "	5.52 "	Cobble Hill	11.15 "	7.30 "
9.40 "	6.14 "	Shawnigan Lake	10.50 "	7.10 "
9.55 "	6.31 "	McPherson's	10.40 "	6.52 "
10.05 "	6.38 "	Kokeilah	10.25 "	6.53 "
10.20 "	6.49 "	Duncan's	10.15 "	6.46 "
10.27 "	6.58 "	Somenos	10.10 "	6.42 "
10.42 "	7.08 "	Westholme	10.00 "	6.35 "
11.00 "	7.19 "	Chemainus	9.53 "	6.26 "
11.05 "	7.35 "	Oyster Harbor	9.38 "	6.15 "
11.40 "	8.08 "	Oyster Bay	9.11 "	5.48 "
Ar. 12.10 n'n	Ar. 8.25 "	Nanaimo	De. 8.40 "	5.15 "
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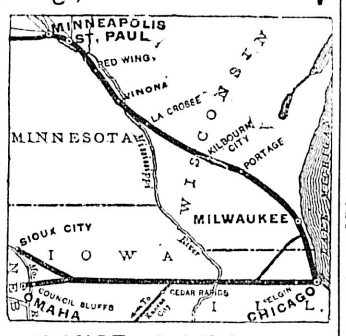

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Victoria & Sidney Railw'y

TIME TABLE.

GOING NORTH.

Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturd'y	Sunday.
Victoria Lv	1	a m	7:00	7:00	9:00
	3	p m	4:00	2:00	2:00
Royal Oak	1	a m	7:14	7:14	9:14
	3	p m	4:14	2:14	2:14
Elk Lake	1	a m	7:23	7:23	9:23
	3	p m	4:23	2:23	2:23
Saanichton	1	a m	7:35	7:35	9:35
	3	p m	4:35	2:35	2:35
Sidney ..... Ar	1	a m	7:48	7:48	9:48
	3	p m	4:48	2:48	2:48

GOING SOUTH.

Sidney Lv	2	a m	8:15	8:15	10:15
	4	p m	5:15	5:15	5:00
Saanichton	2	a m	8:28	8:28	10:28
	4	p m	5:28	5:28	5:13
Elk Lake	2	a m	8:40	8:40	10:40
	4	p m	5:40	5:40	5:25
Royal Oak	2	a m	8:54	8:54	10:54
	4	p m	5:54	5:54	5:39
Victoria ..... Ar	2	a m	9:08	9:08	11:08
	4	p m	6:08	6:08	5:50

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LEANDERS AND CORNELLS.

The Feeling Caused by the Americans Rowing Over the Course Still Continues.

HENLEY-ON-THAMES, July 10.—The feeling caused by Cornell going over the course yesterday after the Leanders failed to get away continues. "They are just like the Australians," said one person in the breakfast room of the Red Lion hotel this morning, "they don't care how they win." The Leanders made no overtures to Cornell yesterday to race again, but began a torrent of abuse.

Andrew S. White, who has been identified with the Cornell crew ever since the latter arrived and who is perfectly well known to different crews, yesterday evening entered the crowded hotel lobby wearing the Cornell colors. In the lobby were a group of Leanders excitedly talking over the misunderstanding of yesterday. Begg, the Leander coxswain, glanced at White and then said, "Damn the Americans, anyway; its just what we might have expected."

"The Associated Press correspondent observes: "There is much discussion and excitement at Henley over yesterday's incident and a determined effort is being made by the Britishers, led by the Leanders, to place the Cornell crew in the wrong and put the whole responsibility of the outcome on their shoulders. The Leanders and their sympathizers ignore the decision of their own umpire which is upheld by this evening's decision of the stewards. As a matter of fact, the Cornell crew are not only strictly within their rights but in view of the umpire's orders, they could not well have done otherwise. It would have been a pretty quixotic thing had they disobeyed the umpire and returned to the post; but meantime the Leanders would probably have gone on and won the race. It is the Leanders who are showing that most unsportsmanlike spirit, and in every way trying to discredit the Americans." Andrew S. White, a nephew of ex President Andrew D. White, of Cornell, said to a reporter of the Associated Press last evening in regard to this thing: "It is the greatest outrage that was ever perpetrated on God's earth. The attempt to put the blame on our boys is a dastardly thing; they could only obey the umpire. You must remember that before the regatta we were warned on all sides to beware of the Leanders, 'they will do you in any way possible,' it was said, 'they will run you into the post as they did the French crew last year.' We were told even before the draw that the thing had been fixed that our first race would be against the Leanders. In our hearts we believed that the Leanders went to the post determined not to race. We had the best position and had beaten their best time."

CHINA AND JAPAN.

Li Hung Chang Had an Idea That Russia Would Have Prevented Japan Securing Territory.

PEKING, July 10.—It is stated that China only agreed to the Russo-Chinese loan under pressure of the threat that otherwise the Liao peninsula would not be restored.

WASHINGTON CITY, July 10.—John W. Foster, speaking to-day of the China-Japan peace negotiations, said:

"The viceroy, Li Hung Chang, had an idea, though I do not know that he had any assurance of it, that the Russian government would interfere to prevent Japan from securing any territory on the mainland of Asia, and the negotiations were made that much easier. But the Japanese were not sure, after their negotiations with Li, that the terms of the treaty would be rigidly lived up to. They remembered that in 1878 England and France waged war on China, the war terminating with the treaty of Tientsin. The two European nations withdrew their forces from China, only to find that the latter nation did not abide by the treaty, which was overthrown when it reached Peking. There was nothing for them to do but to fight it all over again and to take Peking, where the final treaty was signed.

"Japan feared there might be a repetition of that procedure, but I am glad to say that such will not be the case. Feeling that any continuation of the war would only work further hardship on the defeated country, and that the terms of peace were as reasonable as could possibly be expected, I was strongly in favor of the adoption of the treaty, and urged it on the Chinese envoys, with the result that it was finally ratified at Peking. There was considerable opposition to the treaty, and many of the viceroys and generals united in a protest against its adoption, but wiser judgment prevailed."

ST. PETERSBURG, July 10.—With regard to the rumors that Russia consented to conclude the Chinese loan only on condition that China ceded enough territory to allow Russia to run the Siberian railway to the sea, it is asserted on good authority that no question of politics was mixed up with the negotiations.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 10.—The stock market was unsettled during the forenoon but was strong during the afternoon with some few exceptions. Chief among the influences which gave tone to speculation was the favorable character of the government crop report, which induced purchases of St. Paul and Burlington and indirectly led to the buying of the leading railroad stocks. London was in the market as a larger buyer than of late and this helped to stimulate the local contingent. The following are the closing prices of stocks:

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Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	86½
Canadian Pacific	5-½
New York Central	101⅛
Chicago, Cincinnati Columbus & St. Louis	16
Chesapeake & Ohio	22⅛
Canada Southern	51⅛
Denver & Rio Grande preferred	47½
Delaware & Hudson	130⅛
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	16⅛
Jersey Central	10⅞
Lake Erie & Western	25⅛
Lake Shore	147⅛
Missouri Pacific	33⅛
North American	5⅛
New England	53⅛
Northern Pacific	1⅛
" (preferred)	13⅛
Chicago and Northwestern	99⅛
Pacific Mail	29⅛
Reading	17⅛
Texas Pacific	13⅛
Union Pacific	13⅛
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A WOMAN TEACHES WHEELWOMEN.

Tells Them to Leave Off Elastic Garters and to Avoid Overwork at First.

One of the up town cycling academies has recently engaged an expert wheelwoman as an instructor, and she is already in great demand with its patrons. She is one of the pioneer cyclists and gives only road lessons.

"You see," she said to a new pupil the other day, "it is a very good thing to have a woman instructor or two in an academy, because there are many questions that the women will ask a woman that they wouldn't dream of asking a man."

As an immediate proof of the truth of this statement three girls came rushing up, and one of them said excitedly: "Oh, we've been having such a discussion in the dressing room and can't settle it among ourselves, so do tell us. Does riding a wheel develop the calf of the leg?"

"It most decidedly does," was the reply. "It naturally does not help the muscles of the arm at all, as they are not exercised. It isn't proper that they should be, as the correct way of riding is to grasp the handle bars of the wheel very lightly, but the legs do hard work, and the muscles grow wonderfully hard and the flesh very firm. Then, too, the legs grow after one has ridden regularly for some time. Now, I know a woman who has been riding for three years, and in that time her legs have increased 3½ inches around the calf."

"I told you so," said an athletic looking girl to her two companions, who were decidedly thin, and they replied in chorus, "Well, we are glad you were right."

"You will find after the muscles of your legs begin to strengthen," continued the instructress, "that you will be able to take much longer walks than ever before, and without the slightest fatigue too."

"I want to ask you about something else," said one of the thin girls. "What makes my garters hurt so while I'm riding?"

"What kind do you wear?" questioned the instructress.

"Elastic."

"No wonder they hurt you, then. A woman when wheeling should never garter her stockings with elastic bands above or below the knees. To begin with, they hinder the action of the knee and make pedaling much harder, and then they hinder circulation, which causes a sharp pain to extend almost the entire length of the leg."

"That's just it," said the girl with the elastics feelingly.

"Every woman should wear elastic hose supporters, fastened either to the bottom of her corset with safety pins or around her waist with a band. Did you girls know that elastic bands will ruin the shape of your calves if you persist in wearing them?"

"Dear me, no!" exclaimed one, and all immediately declared that they had always found them uncomfortable and would renounce them, buckles and all, for hose supporters, "just for the sake of hygiene."

Some of the other points the instructress gave the women were that a beginner should never ride longer than half an hour a day and should never go more than three miles on her first road lessons. Neither should she get on her wheel until a half hour after eating. If she doesn't attempt fancy figures or racing, she will soon find that even a 40 mile ride will not tire her.—New York Sun.

Women and Children Workers.

Labor Commissioner Wright has prepared blanks for inquiry regarding the employment of women and children in the United States, and will soon put his special agents at work among the leading manufacturing and industrial establishments to obtain data. The inquiry is made purely from the economic side, regarding the number of women employed, their manner of work and pay and the effect upon industry.

Care of the Teeth In Summer.

From now throughout all the warmer months one eats more sour vegetables and more fruit. As these are bad for the teeth, while generally excellent for the stomach, extra care should be taken in much brushing and care that the lime of the teeth is not eaten into by the acid. After every meal is not too often to brush the teeth, and it should be conscientiously done while this sort of food is on the table.

Miss Agnes Briggs.

Miss Agnes Briggs, daughter of Professor Charles A. Briggs of the Union Theological seminary, will enter St. Luke's hospital, New York, in the capacity of nurse and will remain there during the summer. She will thus complete the course of instruction in the practical care of the sick preparatory to taking the vows of a deaconess in the Protestant Episcopal church.

White "Wash Silk" Won't Wash.

It is a curious thing that the only "wash silk" nowadays used in fancy work about which one has trouble is white. The delicate pinks and blues and greens come from a judiciously applied bath with their pristine glories untarnished. But white, so far as known, will persistently turn yellow, and nothing can be found to remedy it.

An Efficient Officer.

The Henry (Ills.) Republican says that Mrs. A. B. Clark, who has been secretary of the board of education for the past three years, "has been a very efficient officer and retires with the thanks of the constituency she has so willingly, gratuitously and faithfully served."

Miss Grace Chisholm.

Miss Grace Chisholm, who has just obtained the degree of doctor of philosophy from Gottingen university, is said to be about to visit Boston. Miss Chisholm has previously taken honors at Oxford and Cambridge, and she now intends to investigate the field at Harvard.

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1 p. m.,	74°		1 p. m.—Calm.
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LEVIN — At Kamloops, on the 8th inst., H. A. Levin, sergeant of Victoria police force.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY at 2:15 p.m., from the Hebrew Ladies' Association Hall, on Blanchard street, under the auspices of the Oddfellows, Knights and Foresters. Friends, city officials and employees will please accept this intimation.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Lewis Hall was a passenger by last night's boat.

W. J. Macaulay came down from Vancouver last night.

R. Collister, inspector of hulls, returned from the Mainland last night.

J. B. McKilligan left by last night's Charmer on a business trip to London, England.

Mrs. and Miss Erb and Mrs. William Power were passengers home to Victoria by the City of Kingston yesterday.

Rev. Dr. Campbell returned from Vancouver last evening, where he went to meet Mrs. Campbell, who has been in the East for some time.

Lieut. Hughes, R.N.; Mrs. Bliss and sons, Worcester, Mass.; C. F. Kempster, San Francisco; Major-General Hay, Vancouver; and D. W. Praly, London, Eng., are guests at the Dallas.

Rev. John C. Arbuckle, pastor of the Second street M. E church of Zanesville, Ohio, is in town, with Mrs Arbuckle, on a vacation trip. Mr. Arbuckle is writing back accounts of his wanderings to the Zanesville Daily Signal, and Victoria will have some of his attention devoted to it.

Rev. J. Robbins, of Truro, N S., will lecture at the James Bay Presbyterian church on Friday evening, taking as his subject, "Scotland and France; the land of Knox and the home of Voltaire." The Rev. Mr. Robbins has a good reputation as a lecturer and all who attend are assured of a pleasant evening. A collection will be taken in aid of the church funds.

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Reports of the Prospects Throughout the Province—Everything Most Promising.

WINNIPEG, July 10.—(Special)—Crop reports from all points in the province and territories, conveying information of the condition of grain up to the end of last week, have been received from a large number of agents of the C.P.R. by General Superintendent Whyte. The favorable prospects still continue, and from Southern and Southeastern Manitoba the outlook is very bright. Harvesting will commence about the first week in August, and grain shows promise of a very heavy yield. Reports from the chief centres summarized are:

Around Portage Plains grain is two weeks ahead of last year; the heavy rains and warm weather ensure a big yield.

Carberry: Never looked so well since 1887; plenty of rain.

Brandon: Warm weather; heavy rains on Friday and Saturday evening.

Virden and Oak Lake: Heavy rains; looking splendid.

Moosomin: In splendid condition.

Wolseley: Abundance of rain strengthens the outlook to a certainty.

Qu'Appelle: Crops of every description are making great progress.

Regina: The thirty-five hours' rain of last week was of great assistance.

Prince Albert: Copious rains and warm weather.

Calgary: Weather warm; frequent showers.

Red Deer and District: Crops are looking well; forty-eight hours' heavy rain.

Carman: Grain all headed out; very favorable.

Treherne: Crops never looked better.

The last two comments are made all through the reports from provincial points.

FIRE AT DETROIT.

Livery Stable Destroyed—Several Lives Lost—Considerable Damage to Property.

DETROIT, Mich, July 10.—At 2 o'clock this morning a fire was discovered in the livery stable of G. F. Case, 41 West Congress street, a brick four-storey structure. All the employes were lodged and fed in that building. On the fourth floor was sleeping accommodation for 25 men. Five horribly burned and charred bodies, three of them Canadians, are at the morgue awaiting burial and other known persons are missing. There were many narrow escapes and heroic rescues by the firemen and police. The following are the victims so far as learned: John Shaw, driver, 35 years, from Canada; John Bowman, second cook, 20, formerly of Bay City; Webb, painter, 55, London, Ont.; Edward Hughes, hostler, 28, Detroit; James R. Shaw, harness maker, 27, relatives at Caledonia, Ont.; Charles Davis, barn man, missing. There were about 80 horses in the basement, all of which were gotten out, with the exception of C. A. Greaves' Ethel G., valued at $1,000, and one of less value. Many vehicles were destroyed together with harness and other livery apparatus. James Cummings, aged 18, a stableman, reached a window on the top floor, but was overcome by smoke and flames and fell headlong through a window to the street. He was badly injured and may die. The total loss will be $100,000, partially covered by insurance.

ANGELA COLLEGE.

A Charming At Home to the Pupils and Their Friends.

The summer vacation of the pupils of Angela college began very pleasantly with an "at home" which Miss Devereux gave to the children, their parents and friends, last night. A delightfully picturesque effect was produced by all the pupils and a number of their young friends being in fancy dress. The scene in the large drawing rooms, bright with lights, the ceilings and walls wreathed in ivy, was a very pretty one. The grand march of the children preceded the dancing, and gave a better chance of seeing all the beautiful and fantastic dresses. There were flower girls and peasant girls, grande dames of the Empire period, and many other dresses of by-gone times, besides the picturesque costumes of Italy and other foreign lands. The boys as usual verged more toward the comic and grotesque in their make-up, though handsome dresses were not lacking Baker boys, a clown, a China boy, a toreador and representatives of the garb of the last century were among some of the characters. The boys and girls had the earlier part of the evening for dancing, and about 10 o'clock they all formed up and marched to supper, while the grown-up people took their turn at dancing. The grounds made a nice cool promenade for those who were not dancing, and colored Chinese lanterns strung about the entrance gave a touch of color to the scene. Young and old, nearly two hundred guests were present to enjoy the evening's entertainment.

MISS WYNNE, grand president of the Y. L. I., who has been paying an official visit to the order here, was last night presented by the members of the local branch with an address. She left this morning for Vancouver to visit the branch there.

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HENLEY REGATTA.

Trinity Hall Defeats Cornell in Fourth Heat for the Grand Challenge Cup.

The American Crew Went All to Pieces Through Supposed Over Training.

HENLEY-ON-THAMES, July 10.—The day opened hot and clear with the wind higher than yesterday. The Cornell crew seemed well and in the best of spirits. They did not go to the boat house before the race. Courtney was again ill last night and is under the care of a doctor, who says he is suffering from a chill.

As the crew of Trinity Hall, Cambridge, paddled into position to meet Cornell in the fourth heat of the trial race for the Grand Challenge cup, the Englishmen met with a rousing reception. Their average weight was 165 pounds and their names were: T. B. Hope, bow; J. A. Bott, W. J. Fernie, F. E. Stewart, W. A. Beitser, B. H. Powell, A. S. Bell, D. H. Wauchepe, stroke, and Page T. Tomlinson, coxswain. Trinity was first at the starting point and took up the Bucks shore. Cornell was slow in taking up position on the Berkshire side. The word "go" was given at 12:32 p.m. Cornell first caught the water and started with a stroke of 46 to Trinity's 42. Cornell was half a length ahead on turning into the course after passing Regatta Island. Then the Cornell runners began to encourage the American crew, and under this stimulus Cornell, which had dropped to 38, spurted and increased their lead to a length. Trinity was then splashing slightly.

Cornell made a half mile in 2 minutes 26 seconds, but in passing Fawley Court, Cornell went all to pieces; Freeborn, No. 4 in the Cornell boat, dropped his oar and put his hands to his face. The Cornell crew seemed paralyzed at this. Hall, stroke, seemed not to understand what was interfering with the momentum of the boat and half turned round, and by the time the Cornell crew were again at work Trinity Hall was half a length ahead. The Cornell crew were so rattled that they rowed like a lot of school boys, and Hager, No. 3, in the American boat, dropped his oar and fell back into the arms of No. 2, Spellman. The latter instantly recovered, but as Hager did not try to recover himself Colson, the coxswain, called out sharply, "What are you about there?" Hager then resumed his oar and seemed to try to row, but no sooner had the crew commenced pulling, with Trinity Hall five lengths ahead, than Freeborn dropped his oar and with one hand before his eyes seemed to grope blindly to recover it. By this time Trinity Hall was seven or eight lengths ahead, rowing a long even stroke.

Passing the mile past in 5 minutes 22 seconds, Fennel fell forward and seemed about to faint. He also dropped his oar and rubbed his forehead. The shouts of little Colson, the Cornell coxswain, could be distinctly heard from the shore, while Cornell men were running along the bank, frantically endeavoring to encourage the crew. Fennell recovered and tried to row, but his oar struck the water flat. Then again the men on the opposite side of the boat seemed unable to lift their oars and were occupied in trying to steady the boat. Hall, the Canadian from Washington, Brant Co., Ont., who was rowing steadily, looked the picture of despair. Nevertheless he kept at his work and almost alone seemed to pull the boat. Then Hager for the second time dropped his oar, after passing the mile post, but recovered himself, although he seemed ready to faint again. Dyer, No. 6 in the Cornell boat, and Andrew, the bow oar, who with Hall had been doing the best work, also began to show signs of being exhausted and began splashing badly. The Trinity Hall crew was then hopelessly ahead and the race was virtually over.

The Americans ashore and afloat were heart broken at the collapse of Cornell. The grand stand was filled with brightly dressed American girls, and many of them were crying at the finish. The Britishers were wild with delight when Trinity passed Cornell at the three-quarters post. Trinity Hall stopped rowing before they passed the judges, who hoisted the sign, "Not rowed out." The band then played "God Save the Queen," and the crowd cheered itself hoarse, and Fennell lay as if dead in the bottom of the Cornell boat, while his nearest companions splashed water in his face. He soon recovered and the Cornell crew slowly paddled to their boat-house, which was situated about a quarter of a mile beyond the finish. Tears stood in their eyes as they stepped ashore, and they were so exhausted they could scarcely lift their boat from the water. The general opinion is that the Cornell crew were hopelessly over-trained, and there was no climate or malaria about it.

Colson, who acted as spokesman for the Cornell crew, said: "We had a hard race, and were fairly and squarely beaten."

"Has your crew been over-trained?" Colson was asked.

"Mr. Francis' orders are that there should be no talk on that subject," was the answer.

In addition to their American sympathizers, a number of Englishmen belonging to Henley called at the Cornell boat house and expressed themselves as sorry that the Americans were defeated.

The following are the expressions which some of the Cornell crew made after dressing:

F. W. Freeborn—The Englishmen are the better men.

George H. Dyer—I think we have nothing to be ashamed of.

Tom Hall—I am not sorry we came.

C. A. Louis—It's a waste of time to talk about defeat.

Fennell, it is said, was ill when he entered the race to-day, suffering from valvular affection of the heart, which caused a big lump in his left side. According to his version, he caught a crab when the Cornell boat was passing the half-mile post and his oar struck him a tremendous blow on the left side, the shock seeming to paralyse his legs. He was able to use his arms but could not recover with the rest. The great exertion he was making caused him to faint in Freeborn's arms and the terrible struggle the rest of the crew were obliged to make did them all up one after another. Fennell tried again and again to do his part, but fainted three times. As Cornell pulled to the judges' stand in order to go through the formality of leaving their weights, they were all looking like death.

About the stand was a crowd of Leander men, one of whom said, "I suppose you lost on account of the hard race you had yesterday." Another remarked, "Of course you are coming again in '96." The Cornell men made no reply.

In the third heat for the Stewards' challenge cup the Thames Rowing Club four easily beat the Leanders' four by eight lengths.

The following is a summary of the heats rowed to-day:

Grand Challenge Cup—Fourth heat, Trinity Hall, Cambridge, beat Cornell by eight lengths; time, 7 minutes 15 seconds. Fifth heat, New College, Oxford, beat Eton.

Stewards Challenge Cup—Second heat, the London Rowing Club beat New College, Oxford. Third heat, Thames Rowing Club beat the Leanders.

Thames Challenge Cup—Third heat, the Kingston crew beat the crew (French) of the Societe d' Encouragement au Sport Nautique. Fourth heat, the Molesly crew beat the London Rowing Club. Fifth heat, St. John's College, Oxford, beat the Anglican eight.

The Diamond Sculls—Fourth heat, Guy Nickalls, London Rowing Club, beat E. A. Thompson, Toronto Argonauts. Neither Nickalls nor Thompson exerted themselves. Thompson broke training yesterday evening, and simply rowed to-day out of sportsmanlike instinct.

Charles E. Courtney, the coach of the Cornell crew, has furnished the Associated Press with the following signed statement: "The result was not unanticipated by me. I said last week that the crew, particularly Fennell, were not in a condition to row. Had I been able to be at the boat house this morning, Fennell, Hager and Dyer would not have started. I consider the health of the young oarsmen of more consequence than any boat race. If I had my say in the final arrangements I would have put my foot down yesterday before the Leander race. I have not seen the crews since Saturday and therefore cannot tell about the stories related concerning the improvement of the crew since that time. Finally, I can only say that any crew must have been in better shape than ours in order to win."

The Pall Mall Gazette this evening, commenting on the defeat of Cornell, says: "There never was such a popular victory in the history of the regatta. Trinity rowed beautifully together, in true 'varsity' style, and gradually wore the Yankees down."

COUNTERFEIT SHILLINGS.

Bad Money in Circulation in Victoria—A Close Imitation of Genuine Coins.

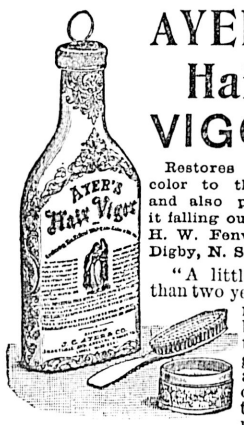
There were some counterfeit shillings in circulation in Victoria a short time ago and among those who received them was the Bank of Montreal. The money closely resembled the genuine coin, but doubting its quality the bank forwarded samples to headquarters in Montreal. They were afterwards sent to the Bank of England which in turn forwarded them to the Royal Mint, in reply receiving the following letter:

ROYAL MINT, June 10th, 1895.

DEAR MR BOWEN.—I am obliged to you for sending in your letter of the 30th ultimo, the two counterfeit shillings received from the Victoria branch of the Bank of Montreal. They have been examined in this department and while the weight in each case corresponds closely with the standard, the coins have evidently been carefully struck in a press from silver the composition of which is found on assay to approximate closely to the standard 900. Counterfeit shillings very similar in appearance have recently been received in the mint from the Melbourne branch, having been found in circulation in Victoria and Tasmania.

Yours very truly,
(Sgd) HORACE SEYMOUR.

H. G. Bowen, Esq.,
Bank of England, L.C



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A California Mining Pioneer Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—Henry E Greene, one of the pioneers of '49 and one of the original owners of the Gould and Curry mine, died here on Monday. In the early days he was proprietor of the United States restaurant here. He went to Virginia City and secured an interest in the Gould and Curry mine He came back to California worth $1,000,000, but soon lost it all by unfostunate speculation in stocks and lands.

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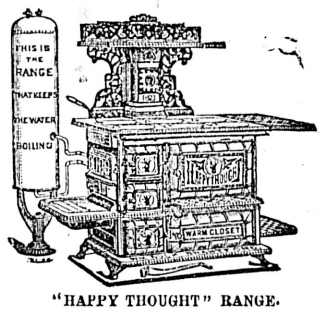

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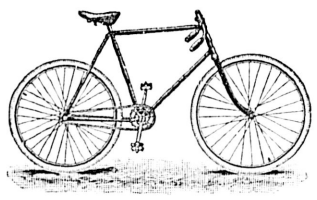

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Receipts and Expenditure for Quarter Ending 30th June, 1895.

Published in accordance with Sec. 108G, Municipal Act, 1892.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Cash on hand, January 1, 1895	$ 1,097 75	City debt	$ 50,214 83
Bank of B.N.A., January 1, 1895	3,509 44	Municipal Council	2,515 02
Land and improvement tax	6,788 45	Civic salaries	33,231 81
Water rates and rents	22,870 96	City institutions (maintenance)	18,981 01
Trade licenses	7 430 00	Buildings and surveys	1,656 92
Liquor licenses	8,980 00	Streets, bridges and sidewalks	15,172 12
Fire insurance company's tax	3,150 00	Miscellaneous	11 973 46
Police Court fines and fees	1,548 25	Education	22,855 33
Road tax	2,192 00	Board of Health	10,250 99
Provincial revenue tax	6,198 00		
Cemetery fees	834 00		
Dog tax	268 20		
Pound fees	314 30		
Market fees	1,478 45		
Provincial Government Educational per capita grant	9,115 10		
Provincial Government refund under Sec. 109, Municipality Act, 1892	1,506 35		
Board of Health	1,702 81		
Miscellaneous receipts	1,459 49		
	$80,443 55		$166,881 49

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.
City Hall, 10th July, 1895. jy11

Frank Pixley Dying.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—Frank M. Pixley, the politician, orator, lawyer, and founder of the San Francisco Argonaut, the oldest weekly paper in San Francisco, is probably in his last illness. He is suffering from nervous prostration. He is almost a complete wreck both mentally and physically, and his physicians have little hope of his recovery. His wife is also suffering from nervous prostration.

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